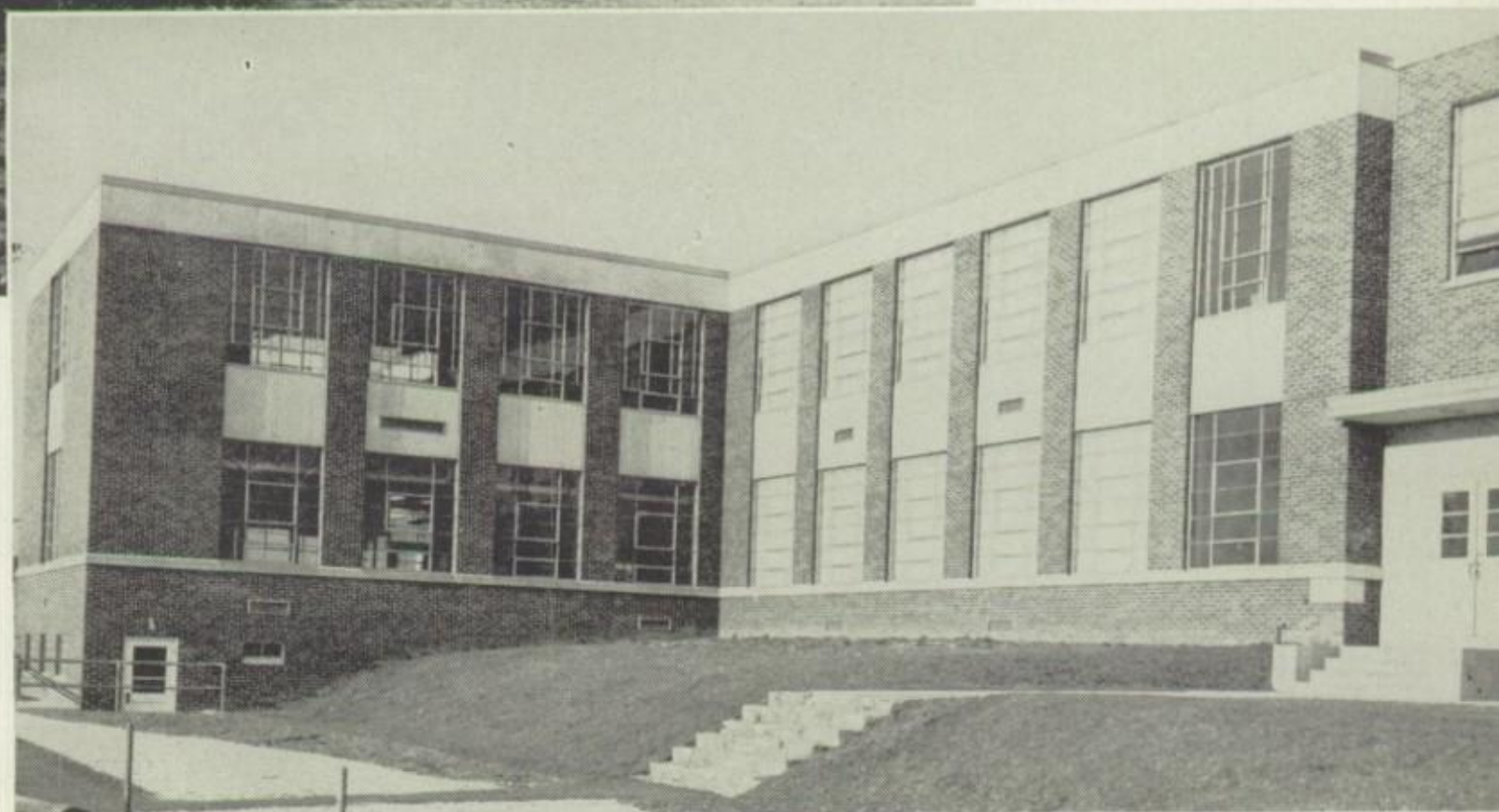


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MUHLENBERG TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

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Foreword

As we go through life, we meet many seemingly insurmountable obstacles which must be overcome. Realizing this, we, the Class of '52 chose as our motto "Climb, though the rocks be rugged."

Through our yearbook we will strive to illustrate the part that high school plays in the climb toward our goal. In order to do this, we have likened our six years at Muhlenberg to a mountain climb.

We hope that this book will recall pleasant memories of the friendships and experiences shared during our educational trek at Muhlenberg.

Ever Upward

The climb of life is an arduous climb,
A road of struggles to a goal sublime.
To help us in our quest for truth,
Are those who teach and guide our youth.

New to the way of mastering a task,
How can we meet what requirements ask?
By setting our purpose firmly in view,
Our climb improves as the years ensue.

No matter how steep and trying the trail,
A spirit of fellowship must always prevail,
Working together is the aim of the plan
That God has designed in the heart of Man.

At last we reach our first great peak,
While new hills arise for us now to seek.
With all that we've learned on this happy climb
Even greater horizons may be ours in time.

Dedication

We, the Class of 1952, dedicate this book to the faculty members of Muhlenberg Township High School who have, in turn, dedicated themselves to the development of youth. Drawing an analogy between life and a mountain climb has made us realize the importance of guides. What they have given us is not found in a history book or a geometry proposition, but in the guidance and companionship of friends. We hope that this dedication will express to them our respect and admiration.

Faculty

Our Faculty, who have devoted themselves to helping young people gain greater heights, guide us over the difficulties in the path of learning, and help us to appreciate the finer milestones along the trail. Knowing the trail from previous experiences, they aid us in finding our way. They spend long hours on the trail, teaching us to recognize and overcome the obstacles.

To divert us from the every-day routine of the journey, they advise us in our recreational activities. They develop in us a sense of determining the right route. Periodically they test our mental growth and abilities. Our guides vary in their skills and abilities, and by coming in contact with most of them, we develop in all phases of life's climb.

There are not words enough to tell everything that our guides have done for us. As we continue our perpetual climb, we should like to thank them for their guidance, wisdom, and tolerance.

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Seated: Seyfert, Cox, Boyer, Trout, Melick, Stoudt.
Standing: Crumbling, Rentschler, Rothermel.

Muhlenberg Township School Board

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1949-1955

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1951-1957

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1951-1957

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McCann Business School



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Secretary to Superintendent
Inter-State Commercial College



ETHEL I. SHANER
Secretary to Principal
Wyomissing High School

Administration, Office Staff Meet Needs

Seven civic-minded men met every month to strive to maintain the best school possible—comprised Board of Directors of school district of Muhlenberg Township . . . asked to consider anything from purchasing pencils to building a new school . . . duties included raising funds, electing teachers, and providing necessary facilities . . . Charles Trout, secretary of the board, possessed longest record of service . . . Dr. Jack Cox, most recent addition, began his first term last December . . . expenses for '51-'52 were \$572,971 . . . directors elected by the people to serve six-year terms without pay . . . secretary and treasurer received remunerative rewards for additional work . . . Mr. Schmehl always willing to give a wrong-doer a second chance . . . Mrs. Good was exceptionally busy last winter nursing colds and mumps . . . office secretaries never had a dull moment . . . patiently supplied "information please" in addition to secretarial work.

Mrs. Good administers hearing test



GRACE L. GOOD
School Nurse
Washington Sanitarium and Hospital



Demonstrations aid oral speaking



STELLA M. ROTH
English
A.B., Pennsylvania State College

English Students Meet Literary Masters

English department aimed to promote a better understanding of human nature and history through literature and to develop skill in oral and written expression . . . seniors fondly remember Mrs. Curley's long spelling and vocabulary lists—boys proved better etymologists than girls . . . *Tale of Two Cities* kept senior classes in suspense . . . romantic and inspirational poetry of Byron, Keats, and Shelly also appreciated . . . many unenthusiastic readers burned midnight oil night before book reports were due . . . unique examples of art work were created for literature projects . . . Shakespeare won Muhlenberg lime-light with his renowned tragedies, *Macbeth* and *Hamlet* . . . "To be or not to be—" "Is this a dagger which I see before me—" heard issuing from every nook and cranny as students attempted to memorize passages . . .



JEAN B. CURLEY
English
A.B., Albright College



ESTELLA E. HARRIS
English, History
A.B., Wilson College



MIRIAM E. MOYER
English
B.S. in Ed., Kutztown State Teachers College



HAZEL A. RAMSAY
English
A.B., Albright College

Mrs. Roth's Friday themes and orals were main feature of junior English . . . oral recitations, including sales talks and demonstrations, proved hilarious in many cases . . . short stories and essays unit generally liked . . . Mrs. Roth sponsored book club . . . seventh graders visited *King Arthur's Court* . . . were also drilled on punctuation . . . *Evangeline* highlighted eighth grade literature . . . freshmen struggled with *Julius Caesar* and *Rime of the Ancient Mariner* . . . Miss Trexler's 9-1 class dramatized scenes from *Treasure Island* . . . sophomores kept active with verb studies . . . made *Merchant of Venice* note books and read *Silas Marner* . . . knowledge gained through this department will be of value in all walks of life.

"Treasure Island" dramatized



CAROLYN J. TREXLER
English, Journalism
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EDITH E. STAUDT
History
A.B., Ursinus College
M.A., Columbia University



ESTHER M. WILLITS
History
B.S. in Ed., West Chester State Teachers
College
M.A., Duke University

Students Study Past and Present

History, a science of past experiences and the effect it has upon our present-day lives . . . objectives of course: to develop a better understanding of present world through past experiences, to create an interest in politics and world affairs, and to develop better citizens . . . students began their explorations in Old World backgrounds, studying the history of the early Egyptians, Babylonians, Phoenicians, Persians, and Romans . . . took traditional journey to the Nile with Miss Staudt . . . one enthusiastic traveler even packed his bag . . . a field-trip to the Reading Museum brought these ancient civilizations into closer view . . . eighth graders kept alert to American History by competition for honor seat . . . the rise of our country to a world power and its territorial expansion gave a clearer picture of the contributions of our early citizens to our present-day government.



M. CATHERINE WERTZ
Civics, History
B.S. in Ed., Lebanon Valley College

Ninth Graders admire Civics notebooks





Curfew rings on current events report



JOHN E. HARRIS
History

B.S. in Social Studies
Schuylkill College

Civics students came closer to home in their frantic search for material for Pennsylvania notebooks . . . many original and artistic covers materialized as the students vied with each other . . . sophomores relived the gory days of the French Revolution in European History . . . eleventh graders broadened their knowledge of American History through Mr. Harris's worksheets . . . practiced "group dynamics" in conducting of classes . . . seniors exercised voting privilege with model voting machine . . . learned the advantages of democracy through study of Federal, State, and local governments . . . introduced problems of international and national interest by means of current events reports.



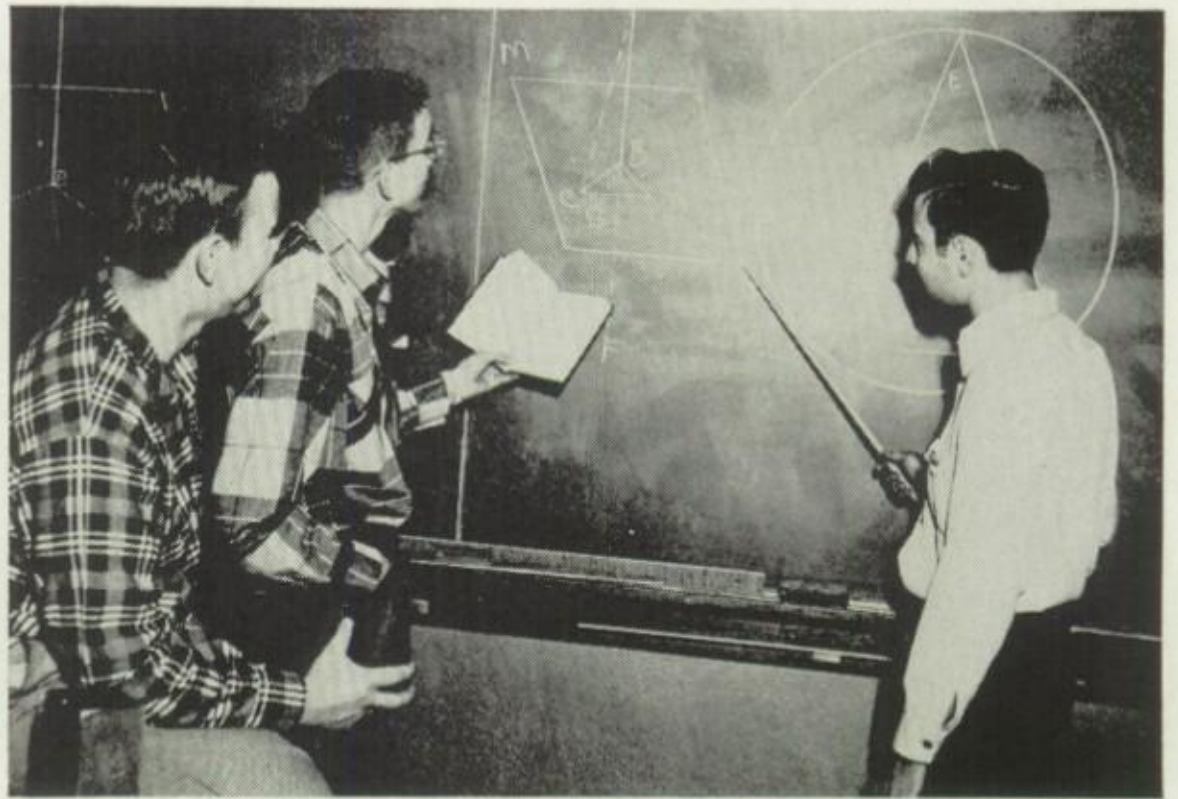
MILDRED H. PRUTZMAN
History, Civics
A.B., Hood College



DONALD L. FETTERMAN
Civics, History
B.S., Ursinus College
Serving in the U.S. Navy



JASON W. WHITE
Mathematics
 B.S. in Ed., Bucknell University
 M.S., University of Michigan



Hm-m-m! Tell us about it, David

Math Proves "Y Figures R Interesting"

"Math" department . . . numbers racket at Muhlenberg . . . one of the larger departments in school . . . seventh and eighth grades confronted with long addition, decimal, percentage, and reading problems . . . introduced to Miss Ruffner's famous mimeographed tests and Mr. Brokenshire's pep talks . . . Mr. Owen led study of insurance and taxation in commercial class . . . freshmen and sophomores learned the "Y's" of algebra and complicated art of graphing under direction of Mr. White and Mr. Brokenshire . . . new general math course offered to ninth and tenth grades in place of algebra . . . eighth grade classes invested hypothetical "big" money in stocks and bonds and computed the rate of return. . .



JAMES R. BROKENSHERE
Mathematics
 B.S., Franklin and Marshall College



DAVID F. OWEN
Mathematics
 B.S. in Ed., East Stroudsburg State
 Teachers College

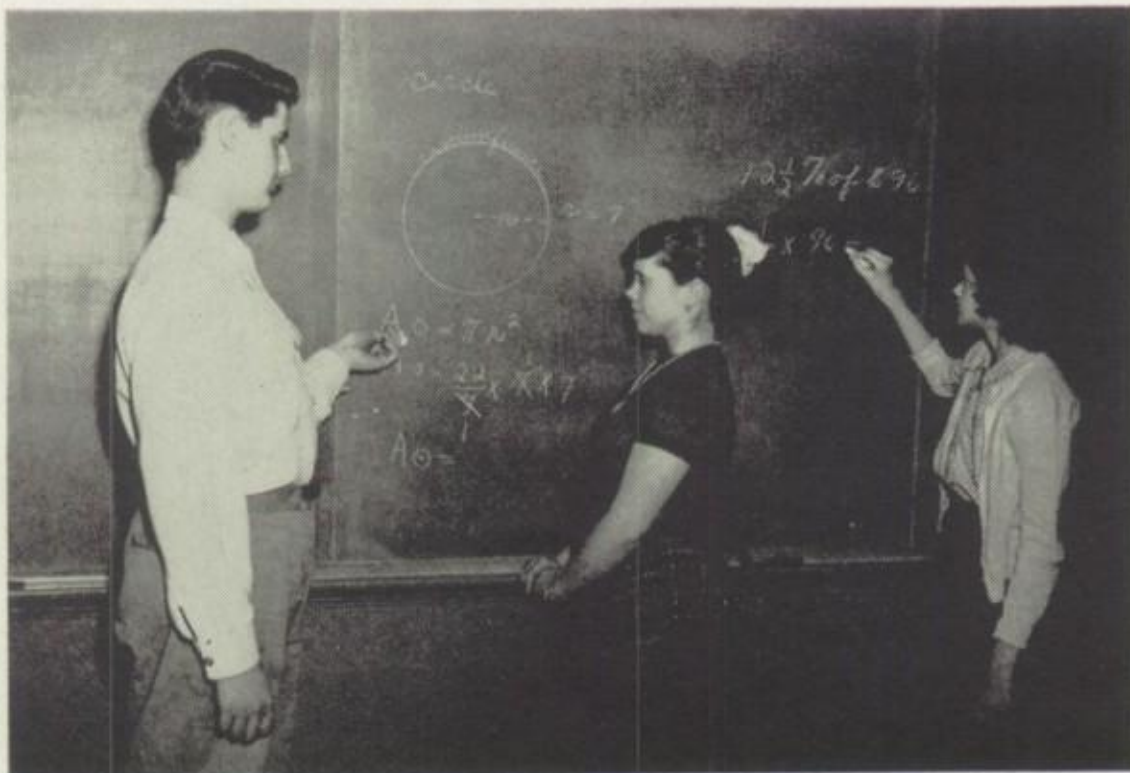


ROBERT D. SHIPE, JR.
Mathematics
Director of Athletics
B.S., Albright College



OLIVIA C. M. RUFFNER
Mathematics
Ph.B., Brown University
M.S. in Ed., University of Pennsylvania

Mr. Shipe's mysterious circular card, used to save brain work, puzzled many . . . juniors convinced by Mr. White that "Geometry is the study" . . . originals were often proved quite "originally" . . . ambitious Euclidians accepted challenges for extra credit . . . "trig" students afflicted with "columnitis" . . . loci, tetrahedral angles, and polyhedrons bewildered seniors . . . senior math class struggled with progressions . . . knowledge gained through math proved extremely helpful on the climb toward truth.



Seventh graders work on measurement and percentage



E. BRAINERD REINERT
Geography
 B.S. in Ed., Kutztown State
 Teachers College



Eighth grade absorbed in a picture on Africa

"Greenies" Wade Through Worksheets

Through the study of geography, students learn about the world they live in and their immediate environment . . . seventh grade "greenies" struggled with worksheets of Berks County . . . all boroughs, townships, and counties in Pennsylvania studied extensively . . . eighth grade students enjoyed informal classes of baseball to gain first seat in the room . . . China, Australia, India, Africa, Canada, and England, including everything from platypuses to King Tut's Tomb were covered by Mrs. Bresler's classes.



ELLA M. BRESLER
Geography
 B.S., Albright College

Around the world with seventh grade





LILLIE R. RIMBY
Latin, English
 A.B., Dickinson College
 M.A., Columbia University



R. DAVID KOCH
German, Spanish, English
 A.B., Albright College

Language Studies Foster World Understanding

Language departments acquainted students with languages and customs of foreign countries . . . better understanding of world relations thus fostered . . . prepared future college entrants . . . notebooks, shields, drawings, and miniature weapons constructed by Latin classes . . . Latin Inter Nos Club organized . . . Spanish and German students enjoyed hearing themselves read in foreign languages on the recorder . . . reading German stories in class interested both students and teacher . . . Spanish classes found lessons "all right" . . . presented "April in Paris" in a series of assembly programs . . . production featured foreign language queen . . . appreciation of foreign cultures further developed by viewing and discussing current movie productions filmed in Germany, Mexico, and Rome.

Latin students examine the peristilium of the Roman house





JOHN B. WHITE
Biology
B.S. in Ed., Kutztown State
Teachers College
M.S., Temple University



Biologists learn the inside of things

Odious Odors Emanate From Science Department

In well-equipped laboratories Muhlenberg's scientists explored the mysteries of life . . . stressed the development of scientific thinking . . . various films used to illustrate and clarify subject matter . . . "lab" period once a week for senior high, source of many peculiar odors . . . freshmen introduced to various branches of science . . . new-type books used . . . witnessed fascinating demonstrations by Mr. Boyer . . . sophomore biologists began dissection with earthworm and progressed to the cat . . . compiled interesting notebooks of sketches and notes on class lectures . . . physicists confronted with "scads" of practical application problems . . . learned virtues of metric system . . . became amateur mechanics . . . atomic and electronic theories emphasized in chemistry course . . . unscheduled hydrogen explosions provided excitement . . . most casualties due to valences.



MYRON F. BOYER
Science
B.S. in Ed., Kutztown State
Teachers College



CLAUDE A. SPANCAKE
Physics, Chemistry
B.S., Pennsylvania State College



CHARLES E. GOODLING
Commercial
B.S. in Ed., Shippensburg State
Teachers College



LEONORA S. GUTHRIE
Commercial
B.S. in Ed., Susquehanna University

"Typing Tessies" Anticipate Employment

Commercial students prepared to occupy positions in the business world . . . first year bookkeeping class members operated small businesses among themselves . . . solved actual business problems . . . experienced bookkeepers learned to work on their own . . . fundamentals of typing were taught in first and second year typing and the application of these principles to business letters, reports, and forms . . . because of the personal-use value of typing, academic students permitted to elect it for either one or two years . . . Business English, combined with a third year of typing, offered to seniors . . . office practice students served as secretaries to faculty members . . . one period a week was set aside for this work . . . spent long hours after school performing secretarial duties . . . included cutting and running stencils, writing letters, typing reports and outlines, addressing envelopes . . . learned to operate office machines, such as the mimeograph, ditto, dictaphone, and adding machine . . . stressed filing . . . skill in shorthand acquired through practice . . . learned to build speed and transcribe letters from dictation.

Tomorrow's secretaries today



THELMA L. KNAUSS
Commercial
B.S. in Ed., Bloomsburg State
Teachers College



Eating's a specialty of the Chef Club

HOME EC CLASSES USE NEW AUTOMATIC WASHER

Home economics classes did everything from burning cloth to washing toys . . . sewing projects ranged from aprons and potholders to tailored suits and coats in the advanced classes . . . students modeled their garments in the spring fashion show . . . study also included consumer education and child care . . . cooking classes progressed from basic dishes to full-course meals . . . prepared luncheon and dinners for faculty, Lions Club, and school administrators . . . Chef Club organized to give male cooks an opportunity to enjoy their own concoctions . . . the installation and use of new laundry equipment was an innovation in the department this year.

Turn please!



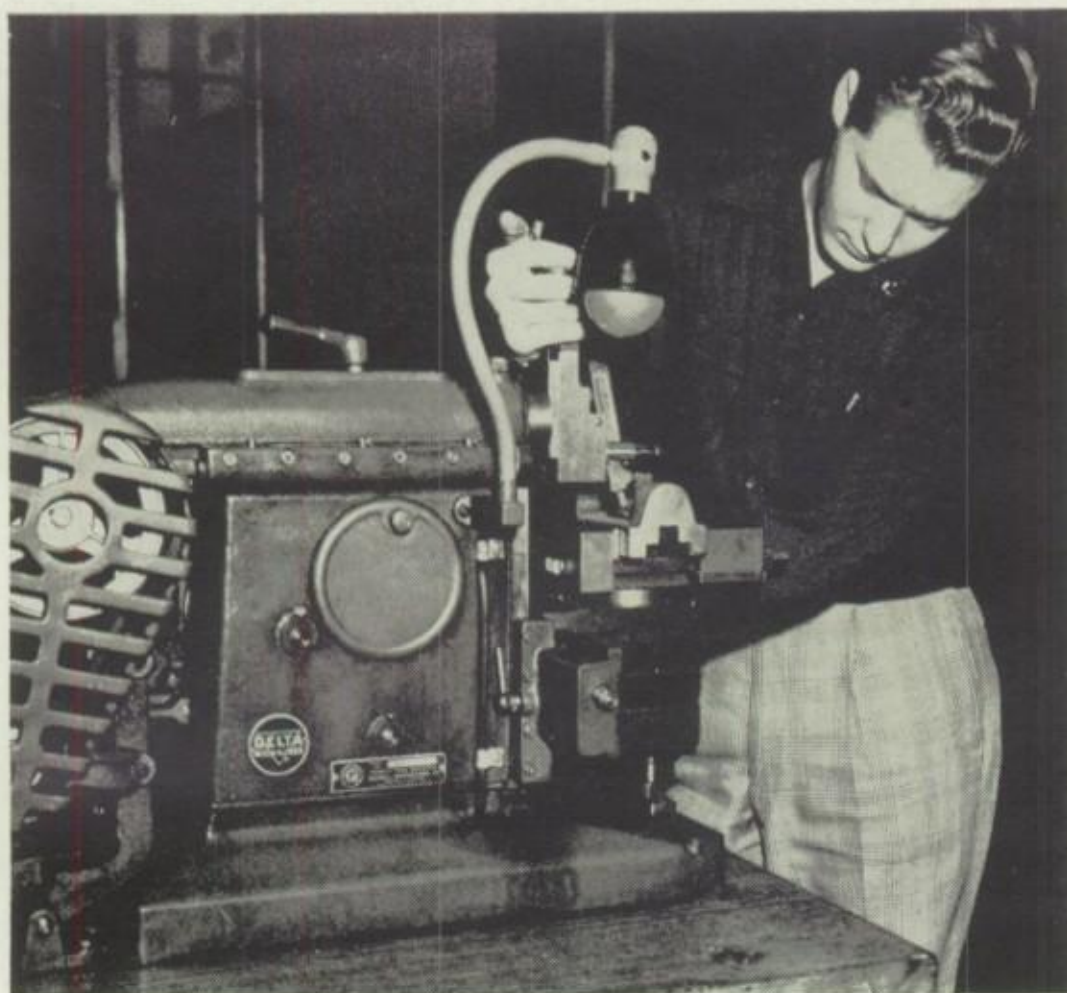
DOROTHY J. BOYER

Home Economics
B.S. in Home Economics, Cedar Crest College



IDA L. EBLING

Home Economics
B.S., Pennsylvania State College
M. Home Ec. Ed., Temple University



Metal student shapes a drill press vise



ROBERT J. WINTERS
Metal Shop
B.S. in Industrial Arts, Millersville
State Teachers College

Handymen Create Useful Projects

Hand workmanship and the proper methods of using tools and conserving materials, which every householder should know, were taught to the students in Industrial Arts Classes . . . consumer education was stressed throughout the year . . . useful and ornamental objects such as cutting boards, chests, tables, mallets, and light bases were made in woodshop . . . bracelets, copper trays, wrought iron fixtures, and tools were among the projects in metal shop . . . future draftsmen in mechanical drawing classes made and studied plans for homes, lettering, and machine drawings . . . boys enjoyed choosing their projects . . . industrial instructors hope some day to have a class of girls.



QUENTIN R. KEATH
Mechanical Drawing
B.S. in Ed., Millersville State
Teachers College



JAMES B. SHANER, JR.
Wood Shop
Williamson Trade School



ALTA H. HORTON
Vocal Music

B.S. in Public School Music, Mansfield
State Teachers College



District representatives go over their scores



HENRY F. HOFFMAN, JR.
Instrumental Music

B.S. in Music Ed., Lebanon Valley
College Conservatory of Music

Modern Facilities Aid Aspiring Musicians

Music department provides opportunity for students to exercise musical talent either individually or as a member of a group . . . vocal music is a required subject in grades 7-9, inclusive . . . junior high enjoyed informal songs . . . studied operas . . . 7th grade chorus participated in Christmas assembly . . . senior high music elective . . . eligibility for girls' and boys' choruses determined by vocal auditions . . . Mixed Chorus members selected from these groups . . . annual spring concert highlighted season . . . individual instruction given to instrumental aspirants . . . band played for assemblies, athletic contests, and special events . . . special dance band performed for Muhl Revue . . . orchestra furnished music at commencement . . . brass sextet entertained at junior class play.

Art Classes Carve, Model, Paint

Moving to the new wing provided attractive surroundings and an atmosphere more conducive to artistic creation . . . a variety of media for expression were presented . . . students entered posters in national poster contest . . . painted scenery for stage . . . decorated ornaments with Pennsylvania Dutch designs . . . provided colorful displays in show case . . . doll collection proved to be of unusual interest . . . carved jewelry boxes and figurines of wood . . . modeled dishes and vases of clay . . . aspiring Rembrandts painted local scenery . . . finger painting produced interesting designs . . . cultural values of this department were essential to a well-balanced school program.



ESTELLA I. RUPP
Art

B.S. in Ed., Kutztown State
Teachers College

Artists apply various media





Aspirants for scholarships



FRANCES A. M. RAHN
Guidance Counselor and
Psychological Examiner
A.B., Hood College
Ed. M., Harvard University

Guidance Department Studies Vocational, Educational Problems

Sharing and understanding educational and vocational problems constituted a major part of the guidance department's duty . . . seventh and eighth grades discussed vocational possibilities and problems of adjustment to school situations . . . upper classmen counseled on vocational choice and personality problems through individual interviews . . . tests administered to students to compare ability with students in other high schools as well as college freshmen . . . U.S. Employment Service tested and interviewed seniors for future vocations . . . a group of parents and seniors took the same interest tests . . . proved that parents know children well enough to predict their interests . . . Bell Telephone Company hired interested senior girls who passed examinations.

New Library Contains 6500 Volumes

Moved to larger, more attractive quarters to furnish necessary space . . . 6,500 volumes on literature, poetry, drama, essays, history, biography, science, and useful and fine arts provide reference materials for students . . . Cole Memorial Shelf recent addition with 21 contributions . . . seventh graders initiated in the use of card file and encyclopedia . . . 12 girls served daily as library assistants with varied duties . . . approximately 200 new books purchased each year . . . 60 current magazines on shelves . . . average weekly circulation 340.

Spacious library improves study conditions



SARA R. ROTHERMEL
Librarian
A.B., Mt. Holyoke College





CHARLES E. BUCKWORTH
Physical Education
B.S. in Ed., East Stroudsburg State
Teachers College
Ed.M., Temple University

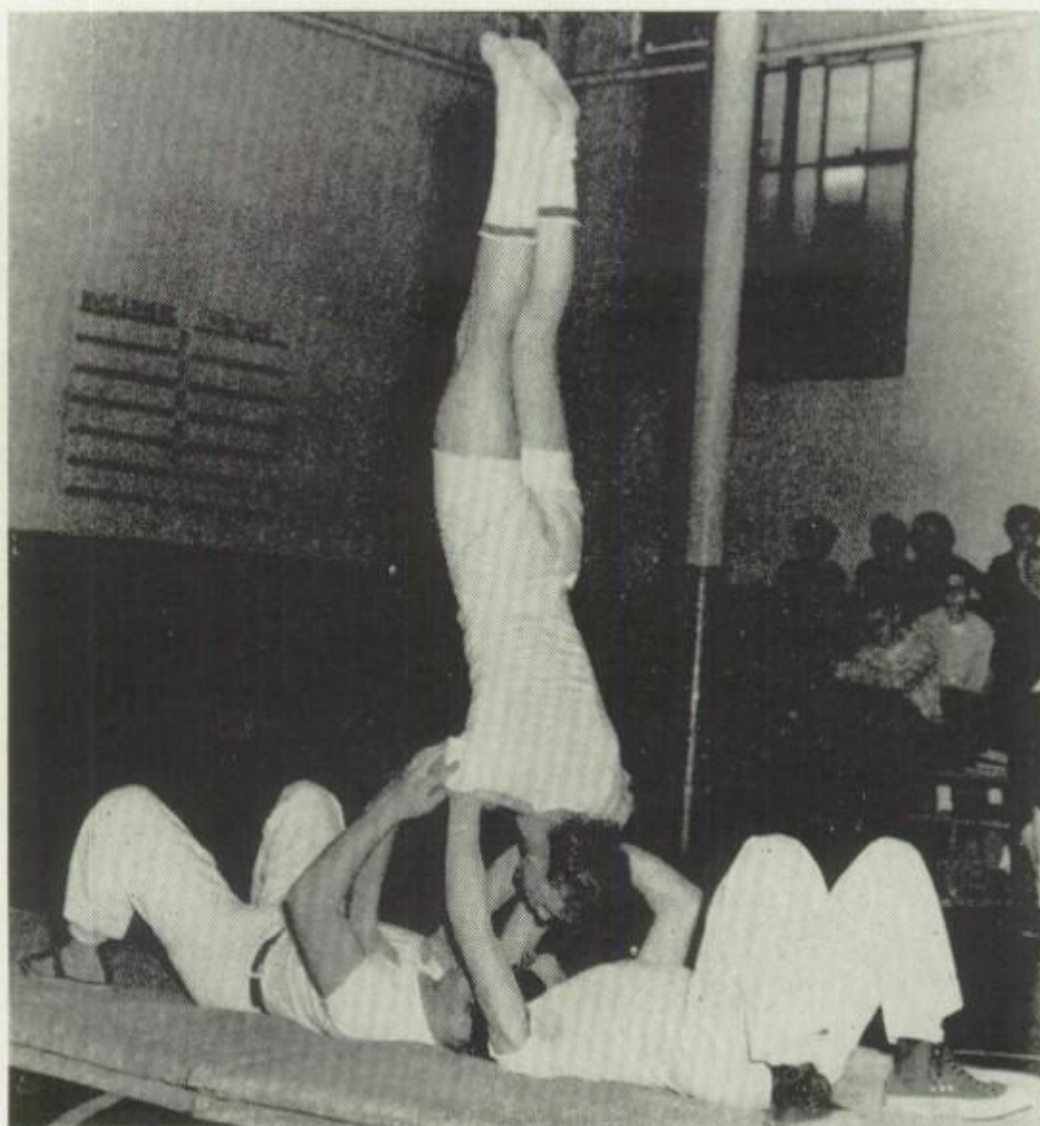


LLOYD L. CLEMENS
Health, Science
B.S., Albright College

Physical Ed. Aims Toward Body Building

Boys' gym classes opened season with football and soccer . . . well-remembered class routine—tour of the track . . . spectacular feats on the parallel bars, mats, and horse constituted boys' contribution to gym assembly . . . first dancing classes in seventh grade caused much excitement and anticipation . . . basketball, longball, calisthenics, volleyball, baseball, and track were among the many physical activities . . . first-aiders could be found on athletic field in fall and spring "wrapping" each other's mock wounds . . . functions of the various organs of the body stressed in junior high health . . . series of reports, followed by discussions, highlighted twelfth grade personal hygiene.

Walking handstand thrills students





Girls reveal posture slogan



RUTH W. KERN
Health, Physical Education
B.S. in Health Ed., East Stroudsburg
State Teachers College

Girls' gym classes participated in well-rounded course, ranging from dancing to basketball . . . hockey and soccer were the main sports of fall season . . . after various exercises and preliminary practices, girls played a series of intra-mural basketball games . . . volleyball, utilizing the length of the gym rather than width, proved quite a novelty . . . waltzing and the fox-trot, new dance steps learned in dancing classes . . . selection of Posture Queen highlighted gym assembly . . . clean gym suits a "must!" . . . hygiene, an equally important part of the course, stressed anatomy, home nursing, and, in general, the care of the body, both physically and mentally.



EMMA P. EPLER
Health
B.S. in Ed., Temple University



OLIVE TENNANT
Health, Physical Education
B.S. in Health Ed., East Stroudsburg
State Teachers College
On leave of absence



FIRST ROW, left to right: Mrs. Hilda Stoudt, Mrs. Fannie Sharp, Mrs. Alma Reinert, Mrs. Helen Hinnershitz, Mrs. Ruth Gernert, Mrs. Marjorie Adams, Mrs. Emma Binckley.

SECOND ROW: Mrs. Laura Wessner, Mrs. Elda Boyer, Mrs. Verna Becker, Mrs. Sallie Kline, Mr. Ralph H. Leinbach, Mrs. Sadie Ibach, Mrs. Irene Nagle, Mrs. Ella Daubert.

100-Pound Cake Helps to Celebrate First Anniversary

Cafeteria noted its first anniversary in February . . . huge 100-pound, seven-tier cake, beautiful flowers, and special turkey dinner featured in gala celebration . . . seated 480 . . . served approximately 950 daily; 5,000 weekly . . . favorite students' dish—barbecue platter . . . most unpopular—shepherd's pie . . . Christmas trees and other seasonal decorations provided festive atmosphere . . . evaluated as one of Pennsylvania's most modern cafeterias . . . student helpers earned lunches by working in kitchen . . . cafeteria initiated to a new use with the staging of the Football Dance.



EMMA L. BINCKLEY
Dietitian, Cafeteria Manager
B.S. in Home Economics
Albright College

Merchants' gift cake shared by students



BUS DRIVERS



Left to right: Mr. Robert F. Ammarell, Mr. Samuel T. Leinbach, Mr. Harry Correnti.

Stay in line, girls!



Bus Drivers and Custodians Render Essential Service

Throughout the year, Muhlenberg's school bus drivers were dependable conveyors of students who live in outlying areas . . . battled ice and snow on rural back roads . . . motto might well be "Better late than never" in inclement weather . . . carried players of inter-mural sports, and sometimes accompanying musicians, to rival schools . . . ability and dependability were necessary requirements of the members of the custodial staff . . . responsibilities vary from window washing to plumbing . . . the general up-keep and appearance of Muhlenberg depended largely upon these men.



JANITORS

Left to right: Mr. Floyd Berkemeyer, Mr. Ralph H. Leinbach, Mr. William Schaeffer, Mr. John J. Gier, Mr. Walter Y. Levan.

Underclassmen

Just as mountain climbers, beginning their ascent, often consider the summit as the only significant factor, so we often think of our senior year and graduation as the only incentive to continue onward in school. After several hours of plodding, mountaineers realize that they must not concentrate all attention on the summit because they are constantly faced with immediate obstacles that must be conquered.

As they continue, the summit remains as the goal, but the climb becomes the challenge. Some of us realize this already in seventh grade—others never seem to. It is this latter group that becomes discouraged and uninterested and soon falls by the wayside.

Gradually, as we learn to overcome more of our everyday problems, the journey becomes easier. Less effort is required to progress and more can be devoted to diversions. Even though rocks are more rugged in senior high than junior, experienced climbers surmount them with relative ease.

As the summit is approached, we realize that its significance is great only because of the climb before it.

*New to the way of mastering a task,
How can we meet what requirements ask?
By setting our purpose firmly in view,
Our climb improves as the years ensue.*



Carol Bitner

SEVENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Schmeck, Tobias, Arnold, Regar, Helms, Heimbach, Fink, Dengler, Wary, Coco, Genslinger, Hartberger, Manwiller.

SECOND ROW: Cochran, Ernst, Heiter, J. Snyder, Howells, Weaver, Crouch, Hain, G. Rothenberger, Reichart, Rossiter.

THIRD ROW: Rapp, Folk, Hague, Richwine, Kring, Strausser, J. Brown, L. Spatz, Fish, Edwards, Eben, Bitner.

FOURTH ROW: Thompson, Geiger, Haupt, Dempsey, Ziegler, Stewart.



FIRST ROW:, left to right: Grim, Fetter, Hoover, Joan Wertz, Hamaker, Fromm, Warmkessel, Seamen, Yerger, Delp, Delp, Messina.

SECOND ROW: Dufft, Shutter, Hardinger, Heist, Ogrinc, Hemmig, Adams, Hertzog, Rittenhouse, Filippini, Greer.

THIRD ROW: Smith, Ruppert, Katzenmoyer, Mench.

FOURTH ROW: Althouse, Johnson, Reitnauer, DeSantis, T. Miller, Hill, R. Rothenberger, Godshall, Hart.

FIFTH ROW: Michalski, Berry, Koch, Winter, Pehlman, Baeighkley.

SEVENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Magee, Grabowski, D. Herbein, Dietrich, Kennedy, Kauffman, Jean Wertz, Mengel, Keller, S. Manwiller, Feltenberger, Pentz, Campbell.
 SECOND ROW: Hunsicker, Herbine, Dellicker, Jane Harris, Wolf, Jean Harris, Schmehl, Ripka, Hoffman, Strickler, Kline.
 THIRD ROW: Griesemer, Chatigny, D. Heffner, D. Moyer, Hivner, Burkhardt, Hinnershitz, Hettinger, High, Richards, McKee, Brunner.
 FOURTH ROW: Shay, S. Heffner, Evans, Anderson, Shugars.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Rauber, Seifrit, Price, P. Spatz, Reiter, Long, Rauenzahn, Volker, Dutt, Seidel, Stettenbauer, Dunkleberger, Simons.
 SECOND ROW: Lohman, Hague, Mearig, Clinton, Manzella, Sander, P. Miller, Bashore, Kalbach, M. Heffner, Ruloff, Large, Schmehl.
 THIRD ROW: Stein, Stoner, C. Snyder, Hafer, S. Moyer, Calhoun, Himmelberger, Rothermel, Delp, Brown, DeBooth.
 FOURTH ROW: Hasker, Wieder, Williams, Schlottman, Robinson, Biehl.

EIGHTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Carbon, Mills, Gable, Haisch, Reddy, Carmello, Faust, Bailey, Koch, Gift, Yeager, Muthard, Redcay.

SECOND ROW: Katzenmoyer, Pott, L. Wixon, Adams, Reedy, Larkin, Waldman, Angstadt, Deangelis, Seyfert, Rothermel, Ramich.

THIRD ROW: Albright, Browne, Katzenmoyer, Gundry, Britigan, Kaljulaid, L. Reed, Rogers, Filman, Mullen, Oxenreider.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Bensing, Grim, Dussinger, Marbarger, Epting, Arnold, Evans, Hohl, Rhoads, Hartman, Zerbe, Schoener.

SECOND ROW: Wagner, R. Yeager, Schaeffer, Dunkle, Bradley, Dempsey, Mengel, Faber, Yerger, Wentzel, Folk, Shomo.

THIRD ROW: Kress, Faller, Noecker, Miller, Detweiler, Baekhley, Moatz, Kurtz, M. Wixon, Stephens.

FOURTH ROW: Sroka, Lilarose.

EIGHTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Shoemaker, Koble, Christ, N. Noll, J. Noll, Frick, Adams, Bower, Slonaker, Buchert, Brendlinger, Koch.
 SECOND ROW: Miller, Rollman, E. Machemer, B. Reed, Delp, Reitz, Weidner, Folk, Homan, Eddinger, Dengler, Fetter.
 THIRD ROW: Brown, Ulrich, Landis, Elliot, Biehl, Holland McKently, Geisler, Losoncy, Hower, Bates, Richard Reichart, Delp.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Messina, W. Heller, J. Yeager, Stoudt, Trate, Buser, Delp, Trievel, Sands, Shaw, Wily.
 SECOND ROW: R. Williams, Shade, Richards, Stephens, A. Williams, Seidel, L. Williams, Smith, Spangler, Werner, Hill, Dutt.
 THIRD ROW: Endy, Weidner, Eschenbach, J. Machemer, Boyer, Thomas, Moyer, DeTurk, Swoyer, D. Heller, Hoover.
 FOURTH ROW: Leshner, McKee, Spayd, Radermacher.

NINTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Daniels, Angstadt, Hinnershitz, Forlini, Harley, Keim, Heffner, Huyett, B. DeTurk, Arnold, DeAngelo.
 SECOND ROW: Domenice, Dietrich, Keating, Helms, P. DeTurk, Hoptley, Fish, Gordner, Fick, Brokenshire, Hertzog.
 THIRD ROW: Brossman, Biehl, Edwards, Fleckenstein, Geiss, Huyett, Gordner, Ebling, Evans, Forlini, Aherns, Fogelman.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Noll, Martin, Lascomb, Manmiller, Mengel, Noll, Malandra, Meas, Lutz, Noble, Kessler.
 SECOND ROW: Manwiller, D. Brown, Leshner, MacDonough, Koch, Kummerer, Mattson, Magle, Myers, W. Brown, Martin.
 THIRD ROW: Manmiller, Kleffel, Mengel, Musket, Kissinger, R. Miller, M. Brown, McGowan, L. Miller, Buchert, Keller.

NINTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, *left to right*: Shaner, Cordier, Richard Rothenberger, Ringler, Rauenzahn, Ripka, G. Seidel, Schmeck, Rodney Rothenberger, Schlott, Rossi.
 SECOND ROW: Balthaser, N. Adams, Sander, Parkyn, Rittenhouse, Albright, Richards, Adler, M. Rapp, S. Rapp, B. Seidel.
 THIRD ROW: Paskos, Reber, Coller, O'Donnell, Nye, Schoener, Conrad, Rohrbacher, Pearah, Ochs, Castellucci, Carman.



FIRST ROW, *left to right*: R. Spayd, Slusser, Bortz, Bredbenner, Wagner, Boyer, Connelly, Beale, Tomeo, Richard Zettlemoyer, K. Smith.
 SECOND ROW: Shirk, Toy, Shoemaker, I. Spayd, Bellman, Slonaker, C. Brown, Wolfgang, Weaver, Sheipe, Wertz.
 THIRD ROW: Stetzler, Stabolepszy, W. Spayd, Trievel, Yetto, K. Williams, R. Williams, Robert Zettlemoyer, Stoudt, Zeller.
 FOURTH ROW: Tobias, Vogel, Weber.

TENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Blatt, Berger, Boyer, Biehl, Brookshire, Dellicker, Baker, Bertolet, Adams, Billman.
 SECOND ROW: Cochran, Althouse, Delp, Bare, Bauer, Brown, Biscanti, Baekhkley, Boone, R. Delp.
 THIRD ROW: Bossler, Angstadt, Blatt, Deppen, L. Delp, R. W. Becker, Beachem, R. C. Becker, Conrad, Brown.



FIRST ROW, left to right: DeWalt, Greew, Faller, L. Faber, Frick, Hoover, B. Faber, Herbein, Imhoff, Heitzenrater, Kauffman.
 SECOND ROW: Greenwalt, Feltenberger, Fetter, Hafer, Dietz, Hassler, Greth, Hardinger, Henry, Jones.
 THIRD ROW: Einsel, Herman, Eyrich, Eckert, Hartman, Graczyk, Holl, Enfy, Heffner.

TENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Palmer, Leininger, Ogrinc, Latshaw, Ryan, Reed, Rothenberger, Mohn, Pyle, Kiesling, Quinter.
 SECOND ROW: Reiter, Miller, Kershner, Manmiller, Mervine, Reed, Kline, Sander, Rossi, Pyle, Napoletano.
 THIRD ROW: Reedy, Scheid, Rothenberger, Ringler, Reetz, Mengel, Leitheiser, Reber, Mucklow, Pearson, Phillips, Noll.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Wanshop, Symons, Schlott, Steves, Spanier, Shoemaker, Wardman, Tolomei, Shalters, Starke, Troutman.
 SECOND ROW: Young, Snyder, White, Spatz, Wolford, Wade, Strickler, Tarrach, Seyfert, Tomaszewski, Sosi.
 THIRD ROW: Wadsworth, Vogel, Wagner, Tobias, Seaman, Wentzel, Walschburger, Weidenhammer, Thomas.

ELEVENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Althouse, Bair, Bergman, Dieterle, Graeff, Hamaker, Frederick, Eddinger, Bortz, Camilli.

SECOND ROW: Burkhart, Bossert, Brown, P. Glass, Fick, Folk, M. Glass, Buchter, Cagnetti, Gaspari, Evans, J. Adams.

THIRD ROW: Cochran, Bissey, Boyer, Biehl, Folk, Althouse, Feicht, Brown, Greenawald, Adam.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Harris, Mertz, Mearig, Hessler, Karbel, Leas, Letsche, B. Lutz, S. Manwiller, S. Henry.
SECOND ROW: Heffner, Meck, Lynch, Kutz, Kramer, C. Marberger, J. Henry, Klemm, Klee, Haring.
THIRD ROW: E. Hoffman, Homan, Hullinger, W. Lutz, Kline, Kissinger, Hasker, Henn, P. Manwiller, Herbine.

ELEVENTH GRADE

FIRST ROW, left to right: Reinsel, Rogers, Ochs, Shalter, A. Moyer, Ramsey, Shade, Rothermel, Schell, Ruppert.
 SECOND ROW: Price, Noecker, N. Moyer, N. Schmehl, Reitz, Riegel, R. Schmehl, Seidel, Penturelli, L. Hoffman.
 THIRD ROW: Schlott, D. Weller, Oswald, Rothenberger, Rentschler, Rohrbacher, Musser, Nester, Reedy, Sell.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Shollenberger, Stellfox, Shupp, Sosi, Jeanette Weller, Wagner, Wennell, White, Snyder, Wingert, Williams.
 SECOND ROW: D. Shutter, M. Williams, Janet Weller, Stabolepszy, Ulmer, Tobias, Stailey, Wealand, Shoff, Venkler, Turner.
 THIRD ROW: Sweitzer, Summons, Zieber, Weinman, Wertz, Shirk, Weidenhammer, Weidner, Zeller, Shipc.

Activities

As we climb this first mountain in the range of life we pause now and then for relaxation.

The ways in which we do this are as diversified as our personalities. We may prefer music, service, marching, dramatics, writing, cheerleading, sports, or debating. Each of these diversions does its part to help us along the trail of life.

The fellowship gained here is a valuable part of our progress; it helps us to understand our fellow travelers. Leaders, who help us over the rough spots, were developed here. The fine traits of character that these activities form strengthen us so that we can conquer the rugged rocks of life.

By alternating work with relaxation and fellowship, we make our climb more enjoyable and better prepare ourselves to attain the summits ahead.

As mountain climbers bind themselves together with a rope, using team work to attain a common goal, we are also bound together in spirit as we collaborate to achieve success in our ventures. An indispensable part of our training is learning to develop ourselves as part of a unit as well as individuals.

*No matter how steep and trying the trail,
A spirit of fellowship must always prevail.
Working together is the aim of the plan
That God has designed in the heart of Man.*





FIRST ROW, left to right: L. Brendlinger, Genslinger, Dawn Seidel, T. Lutz, Pearah, Ulmer, Clouser, Greenawald, Bair, Parkyn, B. Seidel, N. Harris, Ronald Manwiller.

SECOND ROW: Mench, S. Helms, Bellman, Albright, Bunnell, M. White, L. Williams, J. Snyder, C. Herbein, Joan Delp, Harley, Biehl, Filman.

THIRD ROW: J. Richards, J. Reber, T. Heffner, Stabolepszy, N. Moyer, J. Thomas, Stailey, Holl, Lilarose, W. Delp, Simons.

Student Council Sponsors U. N. Day

Muhlenberg made U.N. conscious on December 6 and 7 through appropriate decorations in all homerooms and discussions in classes . . . through contributions from students, a U.N. flag was purchased and \$50.10 donated to U.N. Children's Fund . . . potted plants and pens "welcomed" the teachers back to their desks on the first day of school . . . offered suggestions to Fleetwood High School delegates in organizing their new council . . . sponsored cake sale . . . Student Council collaborated with Horizon Club to create a cheerful Christmas atmosphere in the cafeteria . . . activated Clinton E. Cole Memorial Fund . . . organizations are donating gifts for the Cole book shelf . . . bookplates designed by art students are to be placed in each volume . . . aims to initiate a drivers' training course at M.T.H.S. in the future . . . Ronald Clouser, Kenneth Greenawald, and Miss Willits attended state convention of Student Councils at Kittanning . . . Miss Willits and Mrs. Ramsay provided guiding hand.

Prexy and Veep admire U. N. flag

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	R. Clouser	R. Clouser
Vice President	K. Greenawald	K. Greenawald
Secretary	M. Pearah	R. Bair
Treasurer	J. Hain	L. Ulmer





FIRST ROW, left to right: Balthaser, Williams, Becker, Gassert, Snyder, Reeser.
 SECOND ROW: Bunnell, Schoener, Clouser, Hain, Bitner, Pearah.
 Missing from picture: Sell.

Honor Society Aids Fleetwood Student Council

Planning the induction of new members highlighted Honor Society's agenda . . . at the ceremony on March 27, Reverend Clarence Rahn spoke on the four ideals of National Honor Society — character, scholarship, leadership, and service . . . presented flowers, candles to inductees . . . enjoyed aiding Fleetwood's Honor Society in establishing Student Council at Fleetwood High . . . sold yellow pompons at Boyertown football game amidst cold and wind to raise money . . . paid registration fees to Student Workers' Conference at Wyomissing High . . . helped to sponsor county Honor Society dance, "Paris in Spring," at West Reading . . . edited handbook . . . welcomed visitors to the school . . . conducted Student Council elections . . . members who were inducted in their junior year are Carol Bitner, Lolita Bunnell, Ronald Clouser, Jean Hain, Mary Lee Pearah, and Helen Schoener . . . Ronald Clouser was lone rooster at the hen parties when these members met . . . Miss Willits advised the group.

Election board supervises casting of ballots



OFFICERS

President	Ronald Clouser
Vice President	Mary Lee Pearah
Secretary	Lolita Bunnell
Treasurer	Jean Hain



FIRST ROW, left to right: J. Williams, Losoncy, Slonaker, Detweiler, Leshner, Myers, Gail Seidel, B. Dellicker, Ramsey, A. Moyer, Jeanette Weller, Spanier, B. Seidel.
 SECOND ROW: Adler, J. Boyer, B. Balthaser, Seyfert, Bertolet, S. Helms, Richards, Rittenhouse, Gundry, Leas, Wadsworth, Faller, A. Williams, Bunnell, Bulles.
 THIRD ROW: L. Schlott, L. Noecker, Bredbenner, Hower, Britigan, Bair, Ulmer, Sheipe, J. Fish, S. Schell, D. Reed, Bellman, Hetrich, Bossert.
 FOURTH ROW: Greenawald, G. Weidner, Musser, B. Rohrbacher, DeTurk, D. Althouse, L. Williams, Nester, Sheipe, Lantz, R. Blatt, V. Kline, R. Evans.
 FIFTH ROW: Mr. Boyer, Canonico, Camilli, W. Snyder, Clouser, C. Daniels, Mr. Reinert.

"Highwaymen," Hall Patrolmen Protect Muhls

Hall Patrol composed of 24 members . . . faculty leader, Mr. Reinert . . . student captain, Lee Williams . . . year's innovation was the wearing of armbands . . . a traffic court meted out detention penalties for hall-rule offenders . . . necessary and primary duty of organization was to maintain order in the halls at all times . . . Safety Patrol composed of 40 members . . . faculty sponsor, Mr. Boyer . . . student director, Angelyn Moyer . . . Green Pennant campaign was year's chief project . . . State program to reduce traffic accidents in which students are involved either as a pedestrian, bicyclist, or operator of an automobile . . . Muhlenberg's record permitted the display of the pennant for five months to the end of March . . . driving proficiency examined by practical road tests . . . aim of this patrol was to maintain and instruct school and community in safety measures.

*Driving test results
prove interesting*





FIRST ROW, left to right J. Mearig, J. Hain, Schoener, Bertolet, Hughes, Musser, Toy.
SECOND ROW: B. Holl, Tomeo, Wolfgang, D. Richards, J. Brown, P. Reitz, K. Wentzel.

"Anglers" Debate Conscription

Debaters organized for the first time as a club with 15 members calling themselves the "Anglers" . . . another precedent was established by opening the membership to freshmen . . . two teams were selected from the club to discuss the national high school debate topic—Resolved: that all American citizens be subject to conscription for essential service in time of war . . . members enjoyed fraternizing with debaters from other schools . . . varsity squad met with Wilson and Oley orators in three panel discussions . . . junior varsity debated with Wernersville High students . . . eight panel discussions and social events highlighted the month of February . . . during the latter part of February and March the varsity panel debated before the Lions Club, Democratic Club, and P.T.A. . . . Janice Bertolet, Joan Brown, Judith Mearig, and Joan Snyder participated in the radio program, "Junior Town Meeting of the Air" . . . "Anglers" discussed these town meeting subjects: effects of T.V. on family life, the decline of American morals, United States support for Great Britain, teaching religion to teen-agers, and "going steady" in high school . . . this last topic was discussed and recorded for transcription in Muhlenberg's auditorium . . . club advisers and coaches, Mrs. Roth and Mr. Harris.

After the battle is over



Varsity Team

Affirmative	Negative
Janice Bertolet	Joan Snyder
Lois Hughes	Jean Hain, Pres.
Helen Schoener, Vice Pres.	Jan Musser

Junior Varsity Team

Joan Brown	Diane Richards
Patricia Reitz	Kenneth Wentzel, Sec. Treas.
Judith Mearig	LeAnne Toy



FIRST ROW, left to right: Leighton, J. Kline, E. Snyder, M. Kramer, Pehlman, Graeff, Becker, Wanner, Shupp, Shalter, F. Heiter, Dieterle, Karbel, Wennell.
 SECOND ROW: Jeanette Weller, J. Rothenberger, Sosi, Bergman, P. Glass, Bair, J. Williams, Turner, G. Brown, Drumheller, Shade, Wealand, R. Wagner, D. Bortz.
 THIRD ROW: Knoll, Lynch, B. Lutz, Kleinsmith, Kutzer, Clark, Yoh, Wingert, Ochs, Letsche, V. Manwiller, Reinsel, Venkler, Harris, Klee.
 FOURTH ROW: Correll, Janet Weller, G. Hamaker, Kochel, J. Rapp, Fick, Hessler, G. Seidel, Leas, S. Henry, A. Hardinger, S. Manmiller, Geraldine Tobias, Grace Tobias.
 FIFTH ROW: G. Kramer, Meck, R. Schmehl, Shaver, S. Kauffman, Conrad, Kutz, N. Schmehl, Shoff, M. Waldman, J. Henry, Miss Rahn.

Y-Teens "Easter" Parade

Easter Parade for high school girls provided Y-Teens' theme for Fashion Show . . . combined with card party . . . commentator, Bonnie Borrelli . . . ten lovely lassies selected to model dresses . . . sponsored annual W. P. A. Dance, February 16 . . . enjoyed joint Christmas dance with Hi-Y . . . hilarious play, "Along Came Harriet," presented in assembly and selected as an exchange assembly with Shillington . . . aided a needy family at Thanksgiving . . . Hi-Y and Y-Teens purchased microphone for use in assemblies and at dances . . . planned successful May Day . . . operated Dress and Merchandise Clubs to raise funds . . . local chapter of the World Y. W. C. A. where girls of sixty-nine countries are united . . . Barbara Wanner and Judith Conrad attended Inter-Club Council at Albright . . . initiation and installation always to be remembered by juniors . . . a senior girl who contributed outstanding service to the school awarded a twenty-five dollar Savings Bond . . . senior Y-Teeners ended year with a trip to New York . . . Miss Rahn, adviser.

Operation Leap Year!

OFFICERS

President Barbara Wanner
 Vice President Nancy Shupp
 Secretary Shirley Becker
 Senior Treasurer Gloria Pehlman
 Junior Treasurer Lois Graeff
 Senior Program Chairman Mary Kramer
 Junior Program Chairman Barbara Shalter





FIRST ROW, left to right, R. Delp, S. Dutt, G. Feltenberger, Quinter, R. Sell, W. Snyder, L. Williams, Hetrich, Rapp, Pyle, Reiter, K. Hoover, Palmer, Henry, T. Cochran.
 SECOND ROW: J. Cordier, Sweitzer, E. Weidner, Frick, Scheid, Reetz, Hamaker, R. Blatt, J. Weidner, B. Shipe, J. Cochran, L. Noecker, Haring, Burkhart, Musser, D. Althouse, W. Endy, G. Miller, Napoletano, R. Brown, R. Rossi.
 THIRD ROW: Einsel, R. Miller, Oswald, Holl, Sheipe, A. Mengel, E. Rothermel, O. Walschburger, Loder, Seidel, Wheeler, DeTurk, Wennell, Mervine, Stotz, S. Kissinger, H. Hasker, D. Brendlinger, Shirk, Ziegler, Lerch, Kutz, L. Eckert, B. Rohrbacher.
 FOURTH ROW: Clouser, Rentschler, Leitheiser, Canonico, Stifnagle, V. Kline, Camilli.

Cafeteria Scene of Hi-Y Football Dance

Annual Football Dance on November 10 marked first use of the cafeteria for social functions . . . enjoyed joint Christmas party with Y-Teens . . . Ronald Blatt and Ronald Sell attended Older Boys Conference at Pottsville . . . Ronald Clouser and Paul Hetrich were selected by the South-Central district of Hi-Y to attend the model legislature at Harrisburg, March 14 and 15, as assemblyman and senator, respectively . . . Ronald Rapp and Lee Williams served as delegates to Berks County Hi-Y Council . . . Lee Williams elected first president of newly-organized Greater Reading Council of Hi-Y clubs . . . presented trophies to senior football, basketball, baseball, and track lettermen . . . collaborated with the band to present annual Muhl Revue, April 17 and 18 . . . matched skills on gym nights when various games were played . . . concluded year with annual banquet . . . Mr. Spancake, adviser.



"Assemblyman" and "Senator"
compare notes

OFFICERS

President	Lee Williams
Vice President	Paul Hetrich
Secretary	Ronald Sell
Treasurer	Ronald Rapp
Chaplain	William Snyder



SEATED, left to right: Stump, Pearah, P. Schaeffer, Zeller, J. Martin, Hughes.
STANDING: Miss Staudt, Schoener, J. High, Bitner, Bulles, J. Thomas, J. Hain.

Horizon Clubbers Emphasize Leadership

Horizon Club's theme for the year was "Leadership" in preparation for camp counseling . . . impromptu dramatics, hand craft, lectures, and games were the subjects of the meetings on counseling . . . week ends were enjoyed at Camp Joy in September and the Poconos in October . . . enjoyed "Old Fashioned Mixer," autumn hoedown . . . Helen Schoener, vice president, was selected to attend the UNESCO Conference in January and National Leaders' Conference in May . . . several members attended the Annual Horizon Club Conference held at Cornell University in March . . . main service project was providing appropriate decorations in the cafeteria which was supervised by Jean Hain . . . "New Horizons" constituted the impressive theme of the Ma-Pa-Me Banquet . . . 900 Color Day flags were made at a covered-dish social held at Miss Staudt's home . . . a four-day camping trip concluded the club's program . . . the purpose of Horizon Club can be expressed in the following creed:

*As Horizons are ever changing and always distant,
I shall not stand still and look into their purple shadows.
Instead I shall seek the higher purposes and the new adventures that lie beyond.
I shall reach ever outward to the horizon that is always just beyond my grasp.*

*Make-up artists for grade
school operetta*

OFFICERS

President Carol Bitner
Vice President Helen Schoener
Secretary Mary Lee Pearah
Treasurer Ann Stump





FIRST ROW, left to right: Mrs. Kenney, N. Moyer, Welford, Ulmer, Brown.
SECOND ROW: R. White, B. Moyer, Ramsey, J. Mearig, Marberger, Billman.

Service Projects Top Far Horizon Agenda

Semi-monthly meetings . . . service projects consisted of decorating office bulletin board each month, and making scrapbooks containing jokes, crossword puzzles, and pictures for hospitalized veterans . . . girls particularly enjoyed the trip to Valley Forge Hospital to present the scrapbooks to the servicemen . . . also visited the recreation hall . . . enjoyed Leap Year Party at Frank Reeser's with dancing and games as entertainment . . . several members attended District Convention at Cornell University . . . conducted a successful cake sale March 1 . . . another highlight — supper for parents . . . girls painted vases as gifts for mothers.



Keeping posted.

OFFICERS

President	Lois Ulmer
Vice President	Carolyn Marberger
Secretary	Ruth White
Treasurer	Barbara Ramsey
Representative to County Cabinet	Joan Brown



FIRST ROW, left to right: Shaw, Homan, Huyett, Hohl, J. Evans, D. Koch, Malandra, L. Mengel, B. Shoemaker, Noll, Ringler, Spanier, B. Balthaser, Keating.
 SECOND ROW: Britigan, Dorothy Seidel, Harley, L. Adams, Miller, Stoudt, S. Ripka, Bredbenner, A. Moyer, S. Shoemaker, Nagle, A. Sander, Bertolet.
 THIRD ROW: P. Thomas, Adler, Beale, Y. Boyer, L. Smith, Gundry, Holland, Reinert, Kummerer, Albright, Rittenhouse, J. Mearig.
 FOURTH ROW: P. Schaeffer, Correll, Wilson, Bulles, M. Rapp, J. Fish, D. Reed, Leininger, V. Sander, Shaver.

Red Cross Workers Create Tray Favors

Construction paper and paste were the major implements of Junior Red Cross members whose aim was to add a little more color to the lives of patients in local and veterans' hospitals and institutions . . . agile fingers turned out hundreds of tray favors, an afghan, and fun books consisting of jokes and puzzles during activities periods throughout the year . . . clever concoctions typical of the various holidays were — cats peeping around pumpkins for Hallowe'en; cookie drums and Christmas trees made with lace doilies and colored straws for Christmas; doilies and nut cups on red hearts for Valentine's Day; nut cups on green shamrocks for St. Patrick's Day; basket favors with feathers to form chicks for Easter . . . Muhlenberg was represented by one Red Cross member on the Junior Executive Council at the Berks County Red Cross Chapter . . . advisers, Miss Moyer and Mrs. Bresler.

*Santa's helpers
at work*

OFFICERS

President Constance Shaver
 Vice President Patricia Schaeffer
 Secretary Sylvia Leininger
 Treasurer Doris Reed

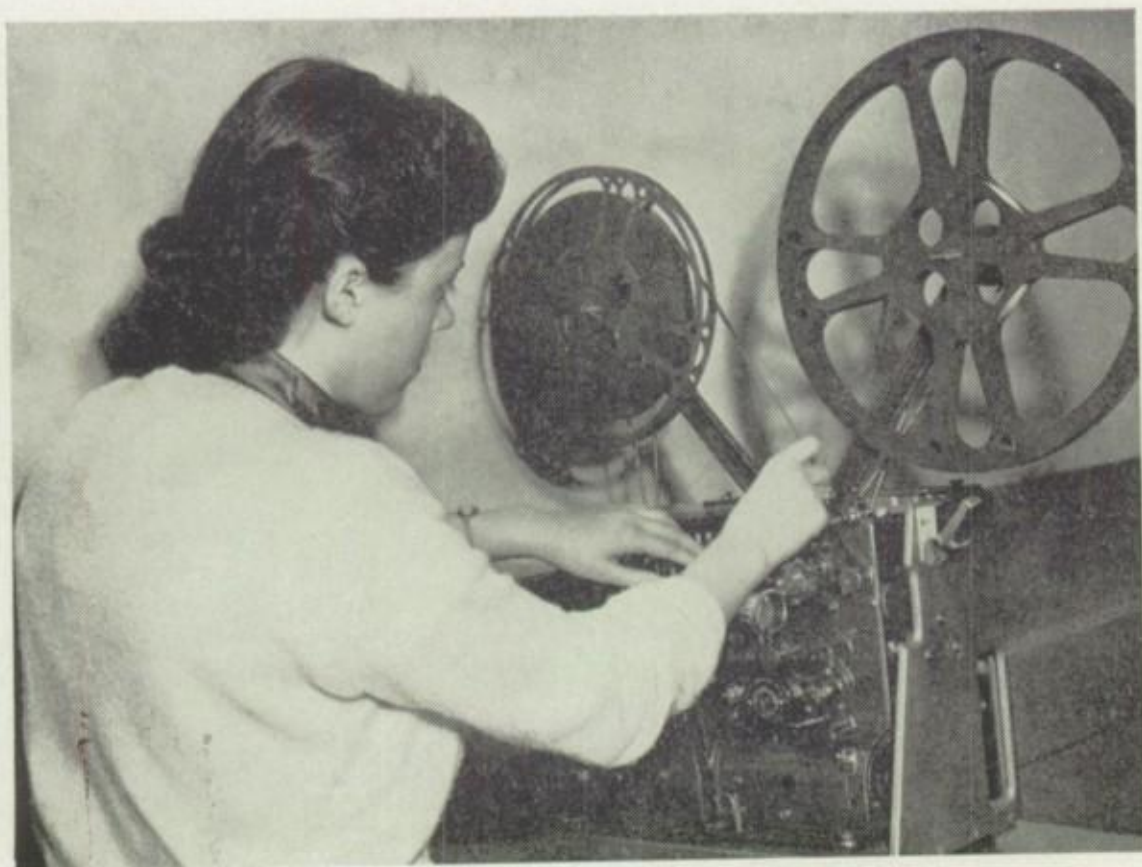




FIRST ROW, left to right: Faller, Keim, Brown, Seidel, Mr. Boyer, Shaner, Reitz, Harris, Ulmer.
SECOND ROW: Mengel, Ronald W. Becker, Snyder, Pearah.

Projectionist Club Enlarges Film Library

Service group responsible for showing films which supplemented and vitalized classroom instruction . . . members instructed in the operation of the visual-aids equipment . . . eligibility determined by mechanical ability, written examination, and scholastic rating . . . projected approximately 130 films during school year to high school and grade schools in the township . . . co-sponsor of contest for television set presented to the school in an October assembly by the manager of Acme Stores . . . acquired additional 100 film strips varying from bugs to plane geometry for film library . . . opaque projector also added to the equipment this year . . . President, Joan Snyder; Secretary, Lois Ulmer . . . advised by Mr. Boyer.



*Setting up for film
on "Macbeth"*



FIRST ROW, left to right: Kleinsmith, Bulles, Snyder, Bunnell, Stump, Heiter, Schell.
SECOND ROW: Paskos, Wheeler, Balthaser, Mr. Koch, Seidel, Loder, Daniels, Hughes, Miller.

Seniors Present "Mother Is A Freshman"

Seniors set precedent when they presented first Saturday night performance . . . on November 29 and December 1 romance flourished when Abigail Fortitude Abbott entered Pointer College on an unusual scholarship . . . Sue, her sophomore daughter, was in love with Professor Michaels, zoology instructor, who in turn fell in love with Abby . . . complications set in when the blushing professor gave duplicate poetry books, "Love Among Natives," to both mother and daughter . . . Abby was expelled because she slapped the professor, but was re-instated when she cleared up the mystery surrounding her acceptance of the scholarship . . . cast remembered midnight rehearsals . . . extensive radio publicity . . . successful campaign despite frigid weather, holiday interferences, and bus strike . . . play directed by Mr. Koch.

"Angel, come to my arms!"



CAST

Mrs. Abigail Abbott	Lolita Bunnell
Susan	Ann Stump
Mrs. Miller	Erma Kleinsmith
Sylvia	Shirley Schell
Bunny	Jean Bulles
Helen	Joan Snyder
Carrie	Fay Heiter
Clara	Lois Hughes
Marge	Marjorie Balthaser
Bobo	Charles Daniels
Jack	Harvey Seidel
Howie	Elmer Wheeler
Bill	Ralph Miller
Dean Gillingham	Thomas Paskos
Professor Michaels	Earl Loder



FIRST ROW, left to right: Haring, Snyder, Schlott.

SECOND ROW: Weller, Seidel, Marberger, Klemm, Kramer, Buchter.

THIRD ROW: Ulmer, Lutz, Nester, Henn, Rohrbacher, Bossert, Althouse, Musser, Williams.

Juniors "Tattletale" In Class Comedy

Three-act comedy presented by the juniors on March 6, 8 . . . plot centered around Patty, a teen-ager, who tried to raise funds by publishing a novel which she had written . . . her diary is delivered to the newspaper office by mistake and published instead of the novel . . . whole town is shaken by revelations from Patty's diary which discloses that her father, a school teacher, has criticized the condition of the school buildings, and the students refer to the Faculty Wives' Club as the Pussy Cat Club . . . author of the bombshell is unknown until Patty confesses when she finds someone else is being blamed . . . situation is eventually resolved to the school's advantage . . . directed by Mrs. Hazel A. Ramsay.

Patsy gets hung in effigy



CAST

Patty.....	Joan Hessler
Mrs. Blaine.....	Carolyn Marberger
Mr. Blaine.....	Robert Henn
Isabel.....	Gloria Seidel
Artie.....	Luther Schlott
Ida May.....	Marian Klemm
Tod.....	Bernard Rohrbacher
Paul Cummings.....	Jan Musser
Mr. Nixon.....	Larry Nester
Mrs. Nixon.....	Lois Ulmer
Miss Wiggam.....	Miriam Williams
Walt Kennedy.....	John Bossert
Luella.....	Doris Meck
Monica.....	Shirley Buchter
Barney.....	Willard Lutz
Mr. Whittaker.....	Daniel Althouse
Mr. Bixley.....	Jan Haring
Mrs. Lorimer.....	Gayle Kramer
Hetty Heaton.....	Janet Weller
Quiz.....	Eleanor Snyder

Students Vera Wingert, Margaret Leas, Nancy Shupp, Marilyn Letsche, Lois Graeff, Nancy Harris, Jeanette Weller, Edward Summons, Daniel Althouse, Daniel Rothenberger, Harold Hasker, Ronald Zeller, Jan Haring.



Kneeling: Zeller, Shaner, E. Hoffman, Wheeler, Musser.
 Standing: Mr. Shaner, L. Noecker.

Stage Crew Provides Technical Know-How

Efforts of the hard-working stage crew generally received little attention or publicity . . . work consisted of setting up and tearing down scenery . . . achieved different lighting and sound effects . . . on the job for every assembly program . . . three main projects were the Muhl Revue, two grade school operettas, and commencement . . . most difficult of these was the commencement pageant . . . crew enjoyed quick changes of the actresses . . . most of the work done during the boys' own time . . . under the direction of Mr. Shaner.



*Stage Crew
 assists puppeteers*



FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Althouse, Wheeler, Musser.
SECOND ROW: Richards, Myers, Lesh, R. White, J. Brown, Wolford.

Shutterbugs Compile "Muhlenberg Unaware" Scrapbook

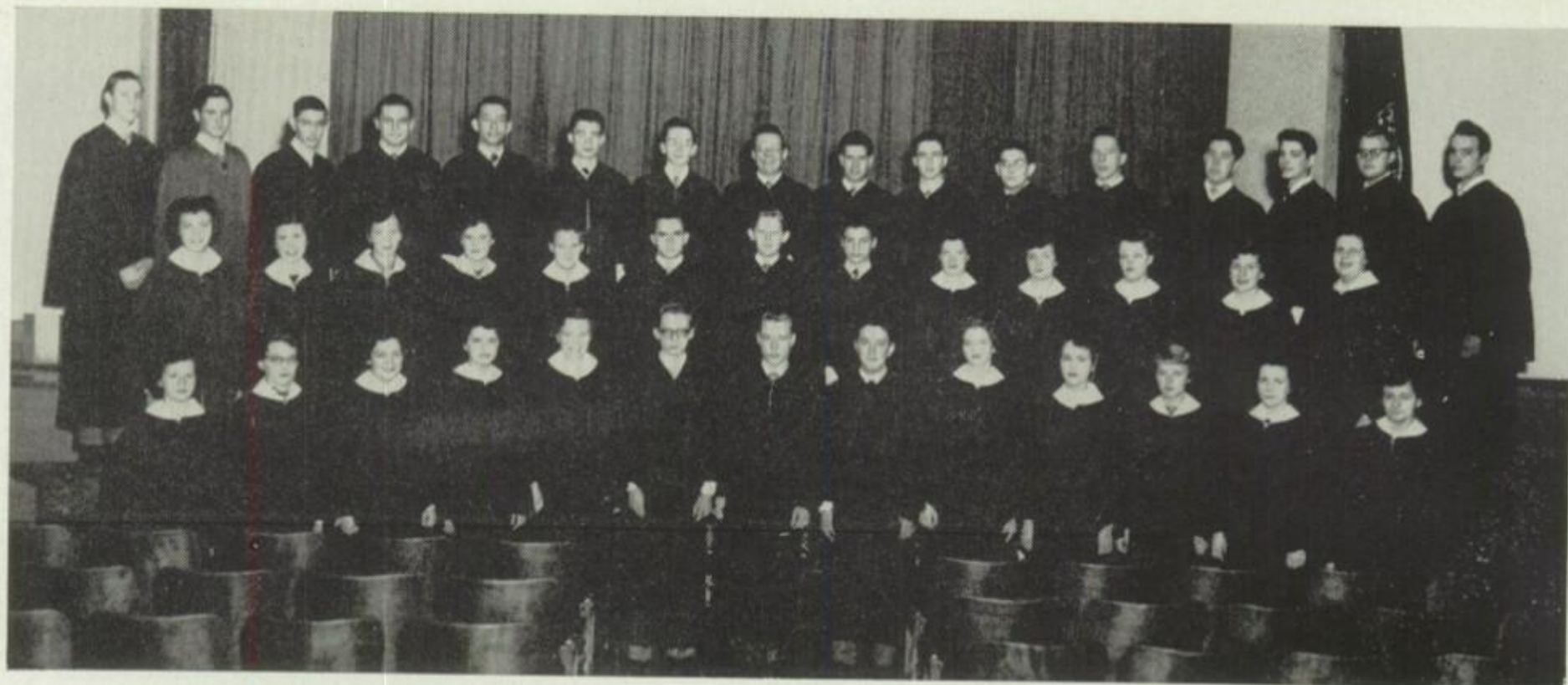
Purpose of club is to promote interest in photography as a hobby . . . met regularly during activities period . . . members allowed to work in dark room and to use club materials at their leisure . . . revenue for equipment and materials secured by dues and profit from sales and enlargements of pictures . . . highlights of year were lectures and slides on various photographic processes, field trip through Dreh's Camera Shop and darkroom, and service as school photographers . . . several periods devoted to taking candid shots of students, faculty, and school activities . . . project for year was compiling these shots into a scrapbook which will be placed on sale to provide additional funds . . . contests were sponsored each month within the group to promote interest . . . monthly winners awarded points which were totaled at the end of the year to determine prize winners . . . adviser, Mr. Spancake.



Lights out, please!

OFFICERS

President Elmer Wheeler
Secretary-Treasurer Joan Brown



FIRST ROW, left to right: Leighton, Haggerty, Jeanette Weller, Stellfox, Bulles, L. Hoffman, L. Noecker, R. Brown, Gloria Seidel, Kochel, Graeff, Wanner, G. Hamaker.
 SECOND ROW: Pehlman, Yoh, R. Burkhart, Clark, G. Brown, Hetrich, D. Snyder, Napoletano, J. Conrad, M. Kramer, S. Kauffman, Buchter, C. Marberger.
 THIRD ROW: E. Hoffman, E. Sitlinger, R. Machemer, A. Camilli, Ziegler, Greenawald, D. Althouse, Wheeler, W. Lutz, P. Manwiller, L. Nester, B. Rohrbacher, F. Walschburger, Holl, Thomas, R. Weidenhammer.

Songsters Complete Busy Season

Muhlenberg's 100 selected vocalists brought their heavy schedule to a close with the annual Spring Concert on May 9 . . . year's program consisted of five church services, Open House, annual Christmas assembly, and numerous other school programs . . . sometimes had fainting casualties because of crowded conditions . . . broadcasted a Christmas program over WHUM, December 29 . . . stumbled sleepily into early morning rehearsals . . . two vocalists represented Muhlenberg at District Chorus, which was held at Lansford, February 14, 15, 16 . . . 11 members attended County Chorus at Kutztown, April 25 and 26 . . . one sang in State Chorus at Wilkes-Barre, March 20, 21, 22 . . . Muhlares and Muhleteers, special groups selected from the chorus, sang at churches and banquets throughout the year . . . choral groups directed by Miss Horton.

Eastern District Chorus
 Robert Reeser
 Gloria Seidel

State Chorus
 Robert Reeser

Joan Brown
 Doris Clark
 Gerald DeTurk
 Barry Folk
 Barbara Kochel
 Robert Reeser

County Chorus

Gloria Seidel
 Joan Snyder
 Jeanette Weller
 Patricia Reitz
 Kenneth Wentzel



MUHLAIRES

FIRST ROW, left to right: Wanner, Haggerty, Turner, Stellfox, Kochel.
 SECOND ROW: M. Kramer, Gloria Seidel, Reitz, Bulles, Kiesling, Bechtel.
 SEATED: Miss Horton.



FIRST ROW, left to right: P. Glass, J. Spatz, Bertolet, Bergman, J. Althouse, Billman, Dellicker, M. Balthaser, J. Starke, Kiesling, C. Bechtel, Seyfert, Wade.

SECOND ROW: P. Reitz, Ulmer, J. Brown, D. Brokenshire, Schoener, Leininger, Pearah, J. Snyder, S. Becker, F. Biehl, Turner, Letsche, E. Snyder, Bunnell, J. Kline, J. Sweitzer, Lynch, N. Moyer, Klemm.

THIRD ROW: Clouser, D. Brendlinger, Reeser, E. Rothermel, C. Daniels, R. Boyer, Bossert, G. DeTurk, Summons, D. Miller, Palmer, Gessner, L. Williams, J. Weidner, Pyle, Scheid, Wentzel, A. Mengel, Dautrich, B. Folk, T. Paskos.

Mixed Chorus Schedule

Nov. 15	Open House
Dec. 20-21	Christmas Assembly
Feb. 10	Church Service at Boyertown
Feb. 20	Brotherhood Assembly
March 2	Church Service at Grace (Alsace) Reformed Church
March 16	Church Service at Spies Reformed Church
April 6	Church Service at First Moravian Church
April 20	Church Service at Calvary Lutheran Church
May 9	Spring Concert

Muhlares and Muhleteers Schedule

October 18	Muhleteers in Assembly
Nov. 15	Muhleteers at Banquet
Nov. 29-30	Muhlares in Assembly
Dec. 6-7	Muhlares and Muhleteers in Assembly
Dec. 9	Muhlares and Muhleteers at Saint Timothy's Church
Feb. 19	Muhleteers at First Reformed Church
Feb. 21	Muhlares at Alsace Lutheran Church
March 19	Muhlares and Muhleteers at Birdsboro
March 28	Muhleteers at Shillington exchange assembly
April 28	Muhleteers at Saint Luke's Church
May 4	Muhlares and Muhleteers at Saint Timothy's Church

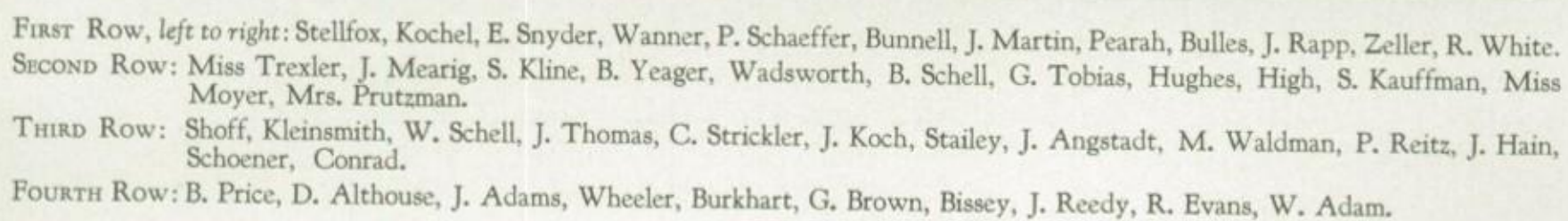
MUHLETEERS

FIRST ROW, left to right: R. Boyer, Hetrich, L. Hoffman, Bossert, L. Noecker.

SECOND ROW: Folk, Clouser, Camilli, Reeser, D. Brendlinger, E. Rothermel, Greenawald, G. DeTurk.

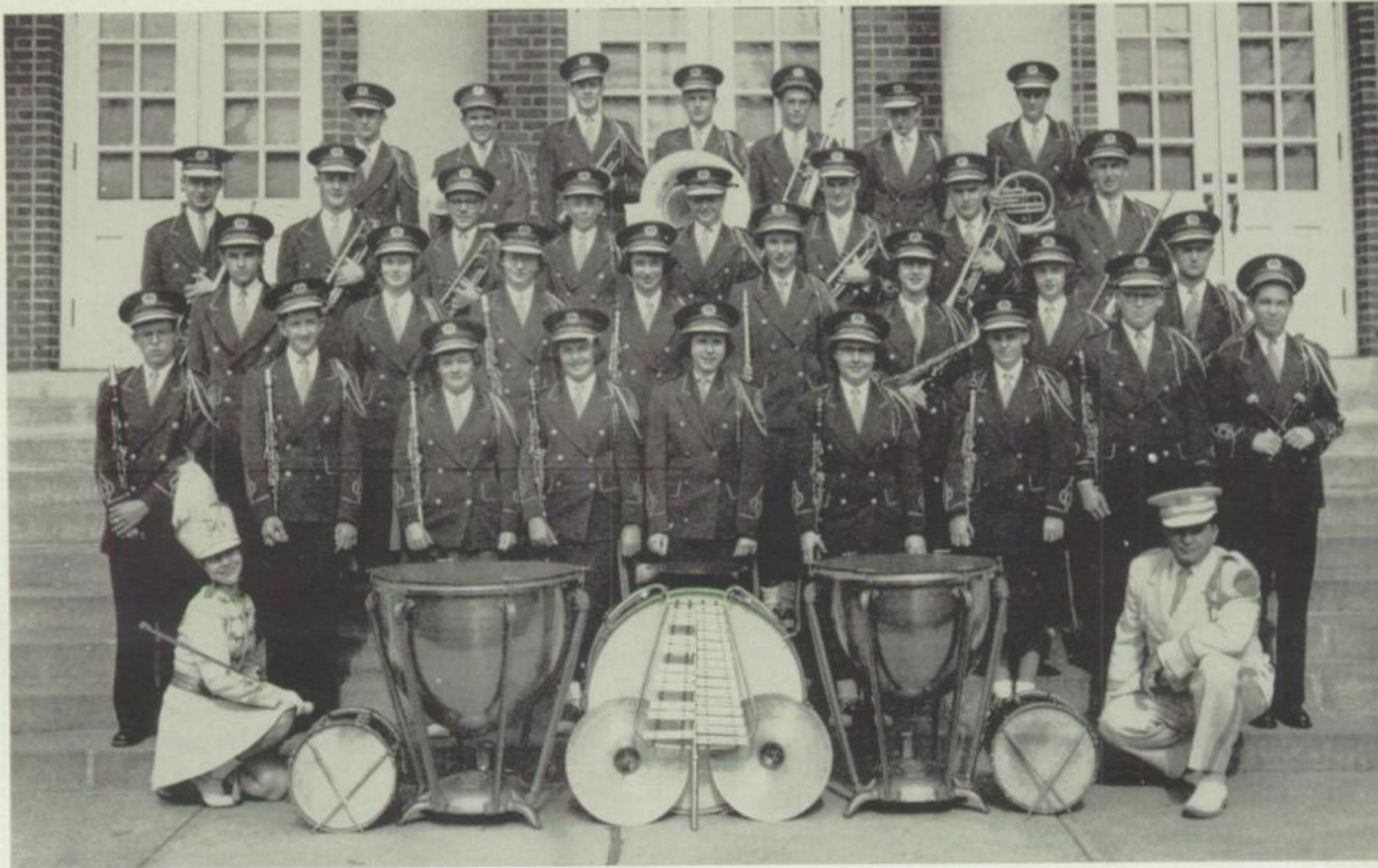
SEATED: Miss Horton.





Twenty-fifth anniversary of publication celebrated in June issue . . . achieved first place ratings in P. S. P. A., N. S. P. A., and C. S. P. A. contests . . . Mrs. Prutzman became new business adviser . . . published six-page issue each month . . . noted first anniversary of new wing in February issue . . . created many original poems and humor column for feature page . . . carried more illustrations in the form of pictures, block prints, and cartoons . . . contests stimulated interest in publication . . . 39 senior and junior journalists attended P. S. P. A. conference at Reading High . . . Eleanor Snyder journeyed to C. S. P. A. convention in New York City . . . busy reporters seen on missions in cafeteria . . . burned "midnight oil" at deadline sessions . . . junior journalists edited May issue . . . seniors published annual graduation number.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Wanner, Mr. Hoffman.
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 THIRD ROW: Ulrich, J. Mearig, Shoff, P. Glass, P. Reitz, Kochel, G. Rothermel, D. Miller.
 FOURTH ROW: Greenawald, Boyer, Palmer, Brokenshire, Adam, Weber, McGowan, Wentzel.
 FIFTH ROW: J. Adams, DeTurk, Clouser, Loder, D. Althouse, Oxenreider, Goheen.

Band Produces Revue, Formations, Concert

Composed of 45 students from all grades . . . haunted the auditorium Thursday and Friday mornings . . . repertoire included all types of music . . . proudly introduced 1952 dance band at Muhl Revue . . . covered noise of pupils entering and leaving assemblies . . . adept performers at football games . . . heard over WHUM . . . sent representatives to County, District, and State Band and Orchestra . . . performed at Pretzel Bowl game . . . played for all athletic events, pep rallies, Ephrata Street Fair, Christmas Parade, Memorial Day, Open House, May Day, and Alsace Reformed Church Lawn Concert . . . annual band concert highlighted the year . . . Mr. Hoffman, director; Earl Loder, student director.

COUNTY BAND

Earl Loder
 Patricia Reitz
 Donald Miller
 Judith Mearig
 Jeanette Weller
 Phyllis Glass
 Marjorie Balthaser

DISTRICT BAND

Earl Loder
 Judith Mearig
 Leslie Hoffman
 Phyllis Glass

STATE BAND

Earl Loder

COUNTY ORCHESTRA

LeAnne Toy
 Earl Loder

DISTRICT ORCHESTRA

Earl Loder

STATE ORCHESTRA

Earl Loder



Muhl Revue band
 rehearses with trio

OFFICERS

President Earl Loder
 Vice President Robert Boyer
 Secretary-Treasurer Patricia Reitz
 Librarian Barbara Kochel

Majorettes and Flag Twirlers

SENIORS

FIRST ROW: Becker.

SECOND ROW: left to right: Heiter, Wanner, Bulles, Kramer, Haggerty.



UNDERCLASSMEN

FIRST ROW, left to right: Letsche, Wingert, M. Wagner, J. Boyer.

SECOND ROW: Ryan, A. Koch, M. Leas, J. Kline, Ochs.





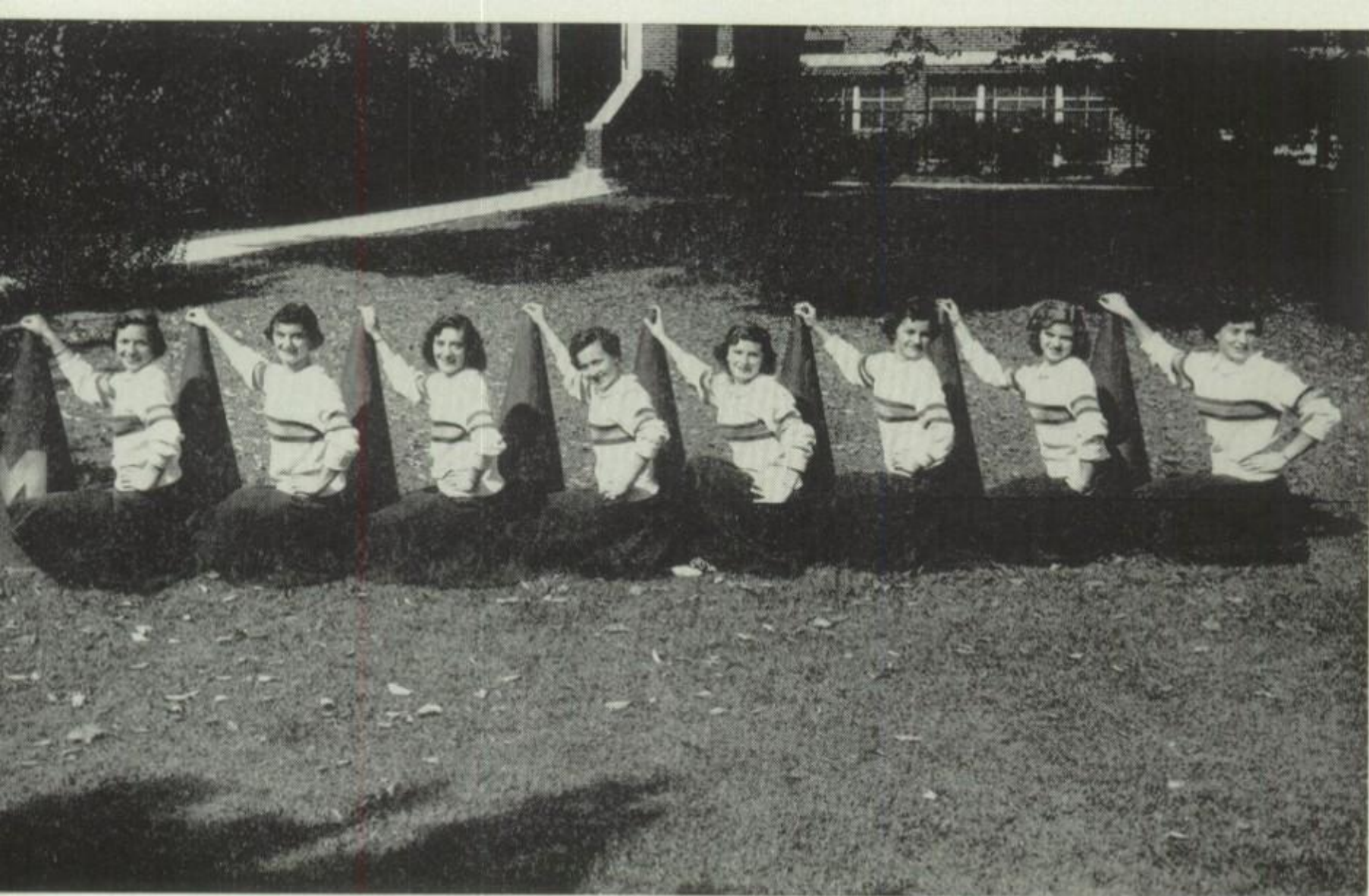
Left to right: J. Rapp, D. Clark, J. Labe, V. Kutzer.

Twirlers Display Skill At Games

Faithful performers at all basketball and football games . . . new routines for almost every appearance . . . Shirley Becker led the flag twirlers . . . on the marching field the band responded to the commands of Barbara Wanner . . . majorettes were directed by Jean Bulles . . . new position of field marshal occupied by Fay Heiter . . . experience among the six seniors totaled 30 years . . . 50 aspirants instructed by Mr. Keath . . . ingenious selling devices provided funds for replacing and repairing of equipment . . . two occasions of honor were the Pretzel Bowl Game and the Christmas Religious Parade . . . four senior girls headed all parades in the role of color guard under the direction of Mr. Hoffman.

*Practice
makes
perfect*





Left to right: Meck, Stump, Pearah, Knoll, J. Kline, Hessler, G. Seidel, Conrad.

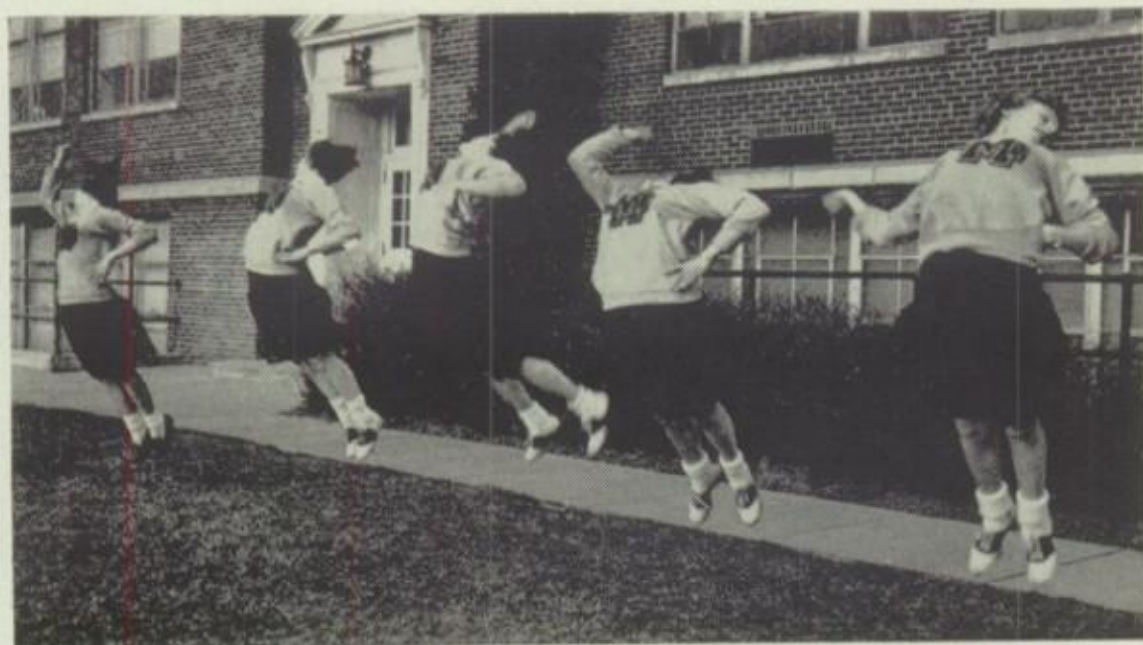
Varsity Cheerleaders Spark Team To Victory

V-A-R-S-I-T-Y added spirit to football, basketball games aching backs dominated squad sleepy attenders of morning marching unit practices . . . introduced five new swing yells . . . planned program and cleverly decorated the gym for Color Day . . . emphasized good sportsmanship and school spirit . . . thrill game of the year — Shillington football tie . . . Mary Lee Pearah elected as group spokesman to negotiate business transactions . . . five seniors will end cheering career . . . adviser, Mr. Hoffman.

HI-DE-HI
 Hi-De-Hi Hi-De-Ho
 Hi-De-Hi Hi-De-Ho
 Hi-De-Hi-De-Hi-De-Ho
 C'mon Team, Let's Go!

Colors for the Day!





Telling their heads off

DYNAMITE

Dyna, Dyna, Dynamite;
We've got pep, we've got fight!
Who? Coach Goodling and his team;
Holy Moses, they've got steam!

Junior Cheerleaders Introduce New Yells

Apprentices for berths on varsity cheering squad . . . rated on a point system . . . made debut at pep rally and first public appearance at final home football game . . . composed of five juniors . . . proved good things come in small packages . . . initiated new cheers . . . alternated announcing cheers at games . . . ably aided varsity cheerleaders on Color Day . . . coached by Mr. Hoffman.

Left to right: Shalter, E. Snyder, Buchter, Shupp, A. Moyer.





FIRST ROW, left to right: Mr. White, Lerch, L. Williams, Stifnagle, R. Sell, Hetrich, Henn, Frick, Sweitzer, Kutz.

SECOND ROW: Mr. Buckworth, Einsel, Graczyk, Geiss, Ramon Zeller, Musket, R. C. Becker, E. Evans, Stoudt, G. Schoener.

THIRD ROW: Mr. Keath, Ebling, Pyle, R. Manwiller, Parzanese, Godshall, Castellucci, M. Messina, DeBooth, Eates.

FOURTH ROW: R. Brown, Katzenmoyer, Shade.

Muhl Gridsters Reign Again

Muhls shared championship with Shillington . . . after five-year reign, over-all record in county is 36 wins, 9 defeats and 1 tie . . . mighty Muhls set three records this year — in 10 games, 6 teams held scoreless; only 24 points scored against the team; impenetrable defensive team scored 4 safeties . . . season highlighted by decisive 8-0 win over Schuylkill Haven . . . suffered heartbreak when tied by Shillington . . . Ron Wennell tops in conference scoring with 7 touchdowns in conference games and a total of 14 T. D.'s for the season . . . Pete Williams, third high in conference scoring . . . team led by outstanding captain, John Canonico . . . offensive squad compiled a school record of 204 points . . . team sported new uniforms in opening game of season at Reading Municipal Stadium . . . Coach Clemens and assistants, Mr. J. B. White and Mr. Goodling, agree that this was the most

outstanding team in school history . . . fourteen seniors completed their careers in high school football in final game at Wilson . . . junior high aspirants coached by Mr. Buckworth.



COACHES

STANDING: Mr. Keath, Custodian of Equipment;
Mr. Buckworth, Mr. Goodling, Asst. Coaches;
Mr. Shipe, Director of Athletics.

KNEELING: Mr. J. B. White, Asst. Coach;
Mr. Clemens, Head Coach.



FIRST ROW, left to right: B. Shipe, Canonico, V. Kline, D. Brendlinger, Loder, R. Rapp, Blatt, Wennell, A. Camilli, Mr. Clemens.
 SECOND ROW: G. Feltenberger, A. Mengel, Nye, Reiter, B. Rohrbacher, R. Eyrich, P. Biehl, Nester, Palmer, Mr. Coodling.
 THIRD ROW: Napoletano, Reetz, Scheid, T. Conrad, Zeller, D. Adams, C. Wagner, R. Evans, Manager; Mr. Shipe.
 FOURTH ROW: S. Messina, B. Landis, R. Fetter.

VARSITY SCHEDULE

Date		Opp.	M.T.H.S.
September 7	EPHRATA	0	27
September 15	EMMAUS	0	21
September 22	WILSON BORO.	6	13
September 29	WYOMISSING	6	34
October 6	EAST GREENVILLE	6	0
October 13	SHILLINGTON*	6	6
October 19	SCHUYLKILL HAVEN	0	8
October 27	WEST READING *	0	42
November 3	BOYERTOWN*	0	21
November 10	WILSON (Spring Township)*	0	32

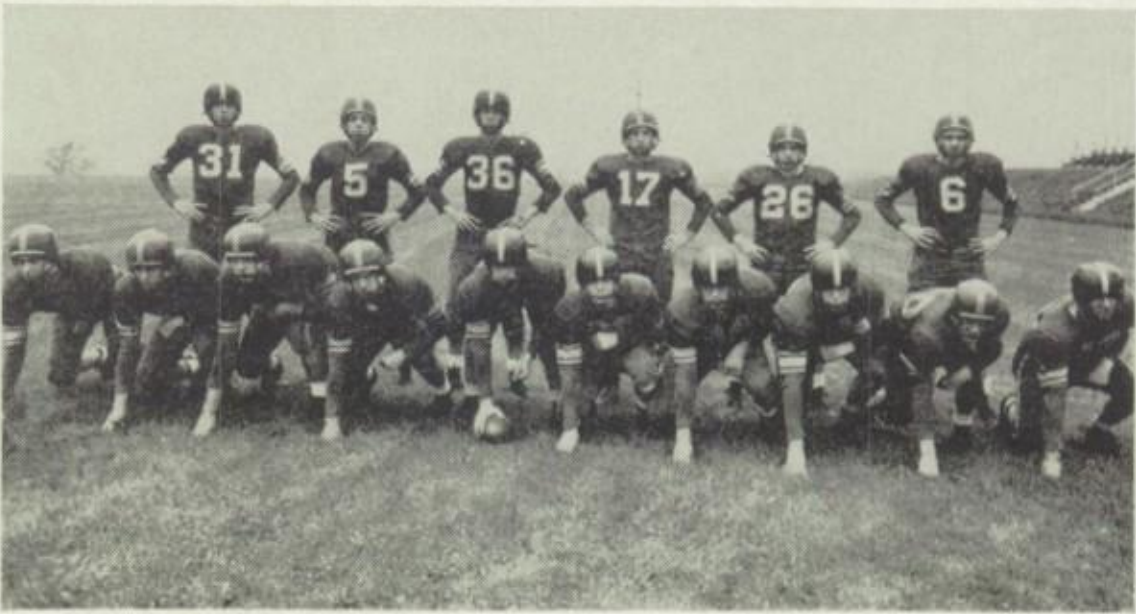
JUNIOR VARSITY SCHEDULE

September 24	WILSON (Spring Township)	19	18
October 1	EMMAUS	0	13
October 15	SHILLINGTON	7	20
October 22	READING	13	6
October 29	WEST READING	33	12
November 5	BOYERTOWN	12	0

* League Games

SENIOR SQUAD MEMBERS

FRONT ROW, left to right: Snyder, Brendlinger, Canonico, Shipe, Hamaker, Sell, Camilli, Stifnagle, Lerch, Frick.
 BACK ROW: Rapp, Blatt, Ziegler, Williams, Hetrich, Wennell.



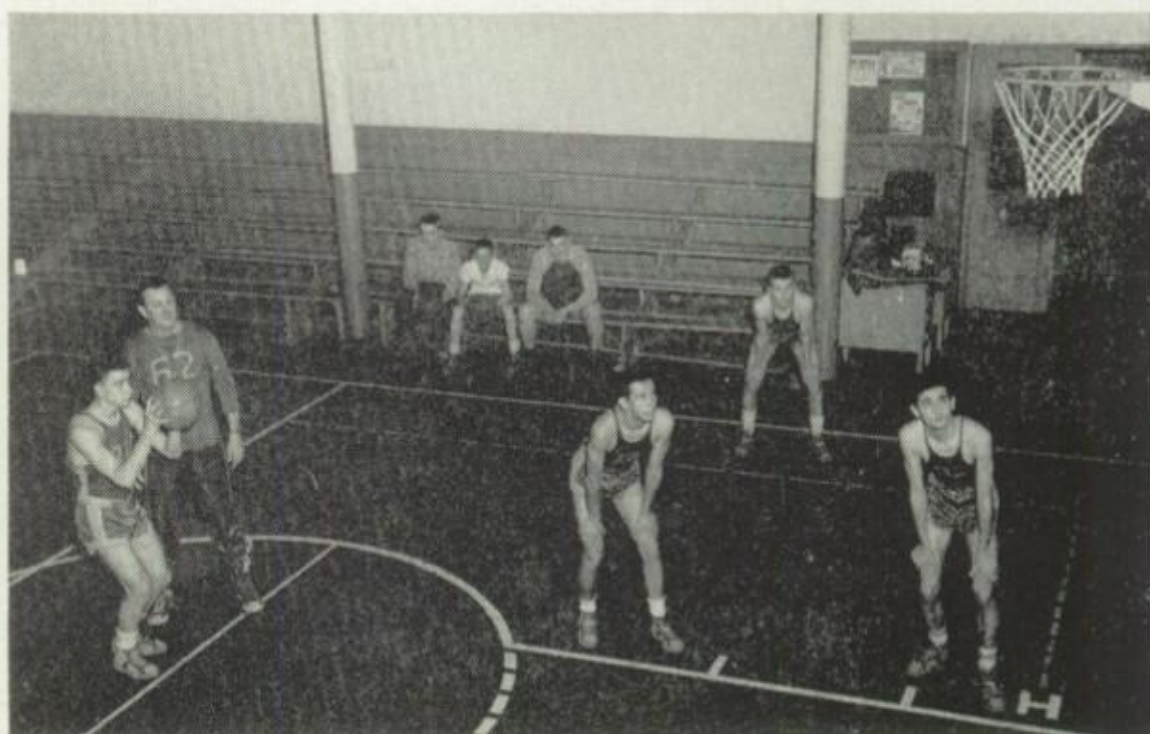


Left to right: B. Shipe, R. Evans, Blatt, Greenawald, Graczyk, Ziegler, S. Kissinger, R. Rapp, Canonico, Roland, Kutz, Mr. Shipe.
Kneeling: R. Delp.

Varsity Cagemen Place Third In County League

Varsity quintet earned an overall record of 15 wins and 6 losses . . . coached by Mr. Shipe, they terminated the season in third place . . . team was composed of six seniors, one sophomore, and three juniors . . . Class A representative in district play-offs . . . spirit of the team was evident in the close scores and league record of 12 wins and 4 losses . . . statisticians were Mr. Koch, Mr. Owen, and Ronald Sell . . . Junior Varsity compiled a record of 13 wins and 8 losses to gain fifth place in the county . . . Coach Goodling led the juniors and sophomores through a hard-fought season . . . new uniforms, identical to those of the Varsity, gave the Jayvees the opportunity to be moved to the varsity squad when needed.

*This is how
you sink them.*





J.V.'s mix it up

SCHEDULE

			Varsity		Junior Varsity	
			Opp.	M.T.H.S.	Opp.	M.T.H.S.
Nov.	20	Wernersville	39	57	22	40
Nov.	23	Ontelaunee	37	39	20	36
Nov.	27	Mohnton	35	33	19	30
Nov.	30	Mt. Penn*	41	30	51	22
Dec.	3	Sinking Spring	30	27	34	26
Dec.	7	Shillington*	35	44	25	16
Dec.	11	West Reading*	44	58	38	39
Dec.	19	Wilson*	31	39	58	23
Dec.	21	Kutztown*	42	34	40	30
Jan.	4	Birdsboro*	27	60	31	32
Jan.	8	Wyomissing*	36	43	28	39
Jan.	10	Hamburg*	49	66	35	25
Jan.	15	Mt. Penn*	58	37	38	46
Jan.	18	Shillington*	36	40	24	31
Jan.	22	West Reading*	39	55	41	48
Jan.	25	Hamburg	43	48	48	33
Jan.	29	Wernersville	16	86	21	59
Feb.	1	Wilson*	43	54	28	35
Feb.	5	Kutztown*	75	38	47	28
Feb.	8	Birdsboro*	30	61	34	53
Feb.	12	Wyomissing*	29	63	32	39

P. I. A. A.

Mar.	7	Red Lion	35	46
Mar.	11	Hanover	65	43

*League Games.

FIRST ROW, left to right: G. Feltenberger, R. Brown, Quinter, Pyle, Scheid.

SECOND ROW: B. Rohrbacher, Hullinger, J. Reedy, Mr. Goodling, V. Kline, A. Mengel, R. Eyrich.





FIRST ROW, left to right: Ochs, R. Zeller, W. Biehl, D. Brown, Eschenbach, Geiss, Brossman, Oxenreider, B. Folk.
 SECOND ROW: Katzenmoyer, R. Schoener, R. Brokenshire, Huyett, Fogelman, R. Daniels, Ulrich, R. Manwiller, Landis.
 THIRD ROW: Dussinger, Muthard, Managers.

Future Dribblers Practice In A. M.

Novice hoopsters of M. T. H. S. . . . squad consisted of 20 players and two managers . . . "Froggy" Brossman broke record set by Donald Graczyk last year . . . Brossman scored 113 points in nine games and averaged 12.5 points per game . . . Roy Geiss, second high with 96 points . . . suffered one-point loss to Shillington . . . braved severe snow storm to travel to West Reading . . . practiced in the a.m. before school and on Saturdays . . . record of eight wins and three losses . . . coached by Mr. J. B. White.

Do your stuff, boys.

SCHEDULE

		Opp.	M.T.H.S.
Dec. 7	....	Mohnton	28...32
Dec. 11	....	Wyomissing	19...49
Dec. 14	....	West Reading*	24...39
Dec. 18	....	Wilson*	20...49
Dec. 21	....	Mt. Penn*	37...26
Jan. 4	....	Shillington*	29...28
Jan. 8	....	Wyomissing	22...28
Jan. 15	....	West Reading*	22...40
Jan. 18	....	Wilson*	26...41
Jan. 25	....	Mt. Penn*	30...26
Feb. 1	....	Shillington*	30...34

* League Games





FIRST ROW, left to right: R. Evans, Richard Eyrich, L. Williams, Ziegler, Canonico, B. Shipe, Graczyk, B. Rohrbacher, Stotz.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Clemens, Stoudt, Nester, Brossman, Greenawald, R. C. Becker, Hetrich, Lutz, Reed, Kutz.

Baseball Schedule - 1952

April 4	Wernersville	Away
April 7	Birdsboro	Away
April 8	Hamburg	Away
April 10	Mohnton	Away
April 17	Shillington*	Home
April 18	Mt. Penn*	Away
April 21	Wyomissing*	Away

April 24	West Reading*	Away
April 28	Wilson*	Home
May 1	Mt. Penn*	Home
May 5	Shillington*	Away
May 8	Wyomissing*	Home
May 12	West Reading*	Home
May 15	Wilson*	Away

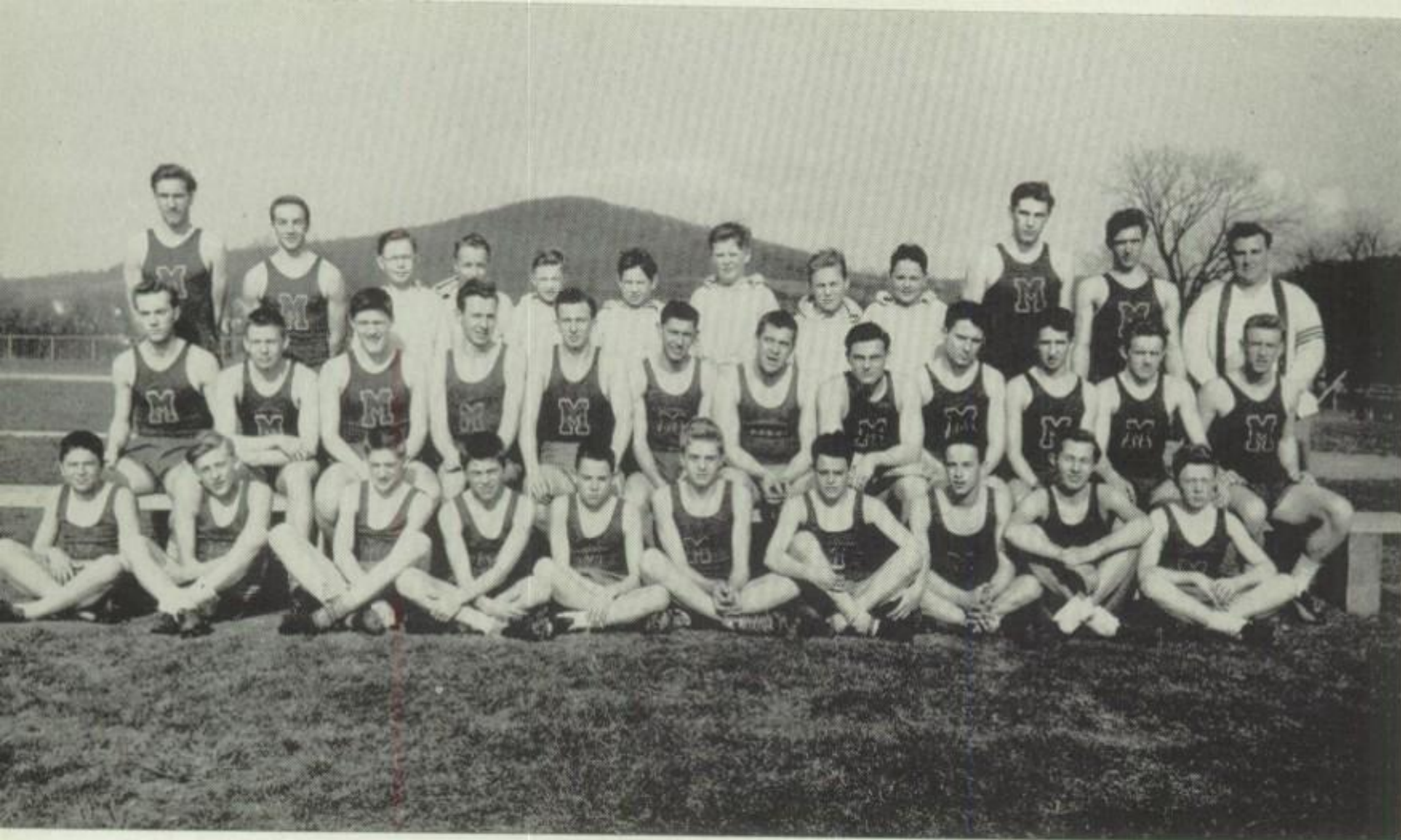
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JUNIOR HIGH SQUAD

FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Rothermel, Pott, Russell Manwiller, Stoudt, Geiss, Bates, Fogelman, Mills.

SECOND ROW: G. Eckert, T. Conrad, Stewart, Thompson, W. Herbine, Seifrit, Bossler, Manmiller, W. Biehl.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Parzanese, Werner, Oxenreider, Gable, Katzenmoyer, Faller, Landis, Collier, Musket, Shade.
 SECOND ROW: E. Weidner, Scheid, Ronald Zeller, Weinman, Wentzel, Machemer, Hamaker, Camilli, D. Brendlinger, Pyle, Oswald, Lerch.
 THIRD ROW: Sweetwood, Lantz, Hart, Magee, L. Campbell, Grabowski, T. Miller, K. Cochran, Large, Stifnagle, Frick, Lutz.

Track Schedule - 1952

April 16	MUHLENBERG, POTTSTOWN, BOYERTOWN.....	Boyertown
April 19	COUNTY MEET.....	Albright College
April 23	MUHLENBERG, WILSON, SHILLINGTON.....	Shillington
April 25 - 26	PENN RELAYS — UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.....	Philadelphia
April 30	MANHEIM TOWNSHIP, MUHLENBERG.....	Muhlenberg
May 3	COUNTY MEET.....	West Reading
May 7	VENZKE RELAYS.....	Boyertown
May 10	VICTORY MEET.....	Shillington
May 13	LEBANON NIGHT RELAYS.....	Lebanon
May 14	BIRDSBORO, MUHLENBERG — Junior and Senior High.....	Muhlenberg
May 17	P. I. A. A. DISTRICT 3 MEET.....	Lancaster
May 24	P. I. A. A. STATE MEET.....	State College

*In training for the
shot-put record.*

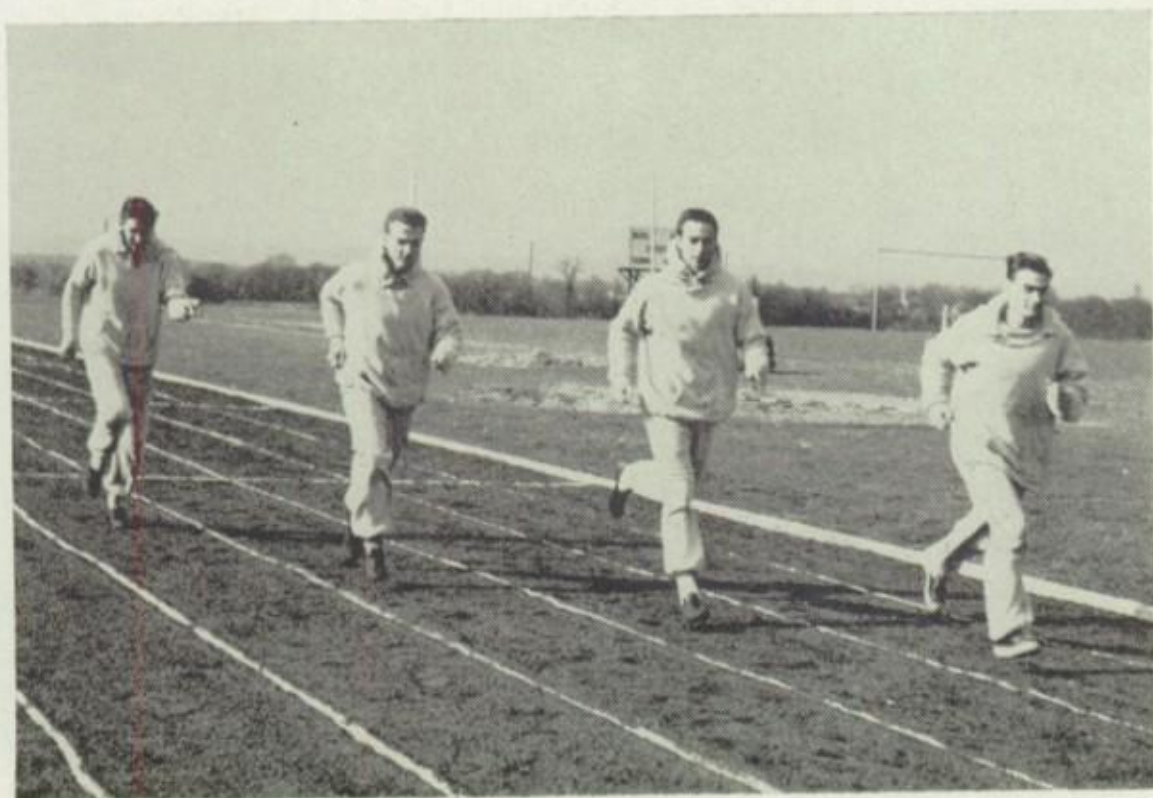




Left to right: Lantz, Dutt, Sweetwood, E. Weidner.

Cross Country Runners Participated In State Meet

Muhlenberg's cross country team participated in four local meets with Reading and Robeson High Schools . . . were quite successful despite the fact that we never had a full team to participate . . . John Lantz, Elwood Weidner, and John Sweetwood represented Muhlenberg in the District meet at Gene Venzke's Driving Range . . . Lantz was medal winner in the District Meet . . . Weidner and Sweetwood participated in the State Meet at Penn State . . . Lantz qualified for the State Meet, also, but was unable to attend . . . other members were Stanley Dutt, Robert O'Donnell, Vincent Ogrinc, and Salvatore Messina . . . coach, Mr. Brokenshire.



*Roadwork builds
stamina for
the long grind*



Senior G. A. A.

FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Brokenshire, Behm, Drumheller, J. Althouse, H. Schoener, Bitner, Wolford, Jeanette Weller, P. Reitz.
SECOND ROW: V. Greer, A. Symons, Billman, C. Marberger, Ulmer, S. Henry, Snyder, J. Brown.
THIRD ROW: Baeighkley, A. Faller, B. Fetter, Leininger, D. Reed, G. Tobias, R. White, J. Henry.
FOURTH ROW: J. Thomas, Stump, M. Knoll, Hughes, P. Schaeffer, S. Schell, W. Schell, Mrs. Kern.



Junior G. A. A.

FIRST ROW, left to right: P. Reedy, Grill, P. Martin, M. Rauenzahn, Harley, A. Williams, C. Reitz, N. Faber.
SECOND ROW: L. Reed, J. Waldman, C. Kenney, Albright, Beale, L. Snyder, B. Burkhart, Britigan, J. Losoncy.
THIRD ROW: L. Smith, B. Rittenhouse, Wolfgang, Hill, A. Greer, P. Thomas, Mrs. Kern.



FIRST ROW, left to right: A. Greer, Losoncy, Shirk, A. Williams, N. Faber, P. Martin, M. Rauenzahn, C. Reitz, L. Smith, Reedy, J. Snyder.
 SECOND ROW: Claudette Strickler, P. Reitz, Constance Strickler, Faller, Althouse, Latshaw, Tobias, Meck, Brokenshire, Schoener.
 THIRD ROW: Reed, Leininger, Buchter, Billman, Wolford, Ulmer, Schell, Thomas, Marberger.
 FOURTH ROW: P. Thomas, Bitner, Stailey, Baeighkley, Drumheller, V. Greer, R. White, S. Henry, J. Henry, Grill.
 LAST ROW: Mrs. Kern.

G. A. A. Lassies Enjoyed Well-Rounded Program

Rugged lassies participated in various sports throughout the year . . . seniors enjoyed hockey, basketball, volleyball, and softball, while juniors participated in soccer, basketball, volleyball, and softball . . . both junior and senior high took part in archery and swimming . . . varsity and junior varsity teams competed with Wilson, Hamburg, Mt. Penn, Shillington, Mohnton, Wyomissing, Honeybrook, West Reading, Exeter and Pennside . . . varsity basketball squad cast off traditional "jinx" by defeating West Reading and Honeybrook . . . all-day basketball practice highlighted Christmas vacation . . . senior high members increased funds by selling refreshments at football and basketball games . . . sponsored clean-up campaign in locker room . . . good inter-school relationships fostered by playing for the sheer enjoyment of the sport . . . Mrs. Kern, coach.



TEAMS

Hockey	Varsity Basketball	J.V. Basketball	Volleyball
C. Bitner	C. Bitner	J. Billman	V. Wolford
D. Brokenshire	H. Schoener	B. Fetter	J. Althouse
H. Drumheller	J. Althouse	A. Symons	C. Marberger
J. Althouse	J. Brown	N. Faber	Constance Strickler
J. Brown	A. Faller	M. Grill	S. Buchter
J. Henry	V. Greer	J. Losoncy	Claudette Strickler
S. Henry	S. Henry	P. Martin	D. Meck
P. Reitz	S. Leininger	M. Rauenzahn	P. Latshaw
L. Ulmer	C. Marberger	P. Reedy	J. Thomas
Janet Weller	D. Reed	C. Reitz	D. Reed
J. Baeighkley	P. Reitz	M. Shirk	W. Schell
A. Faller	B. Stailey	L. Smith	B. Stailey
B. Fetter	E. Snyder	P. Thomas	S. Leininger
V. Greer	G. Tobias	A. Williams	G. Tobias
S. Leininger	L. Ulmer	A. Greer	A. Faller
A. Symons	V. Wolford	E. Evans	L. Ulmer
V. Wolford			J. Brown
Mgr., R. White	Mgr., R. White	Mgr., B. Adler	Mgr., R. White
Asst. Mgr., N. Faber	Asst. Mgr., J. Henry	Asst. Mgr., J. Snyder	Asst. Mgr., N. Faber

OFFICERS

JUNIOR HIGH: President, Sandra Helms; Vice-President, Nancy Adams; Secretary-Treasurer, Betty Adler.

SENIOR HIGH: President, Joan Althouse; Secretary, Ruth White; Treasurer, Carol Bitner.

Seniors

As we continue on our ever constant journey upward, we find that at graduation time we have reached one of the first levels of the rocky climb.

Through constant cooperation and effort, we have achieved this height. It has been a long, difficult journey — these twelve years; and we feel that at last we have reached our ultimate goal.

But looking farther into the distance, there are many more levels, rockier and higher, which await to be scaled. Here, the trail does not end, but divides into two distinct paths. On the one hand there is the guided tour of further educational journeys, while on the other, we will venture forth upon a vocational trek, enlightened by the lamp of experience.

We know that short cuts lead only to the deep valleys below instead of making goals loom closer. Staying within the boundaries of the trail, we will eventually progress higher and higher on the rocky mountainside.

We must always be aware of the heights beyond, and "*Climb Though The Rocks Be Rugged.*"

*At last we reach our first great peak,
While new hills arise for us now to seek.
With all that we've learned on this happy climb
Even greater horizons may be ours in time.*





DAVID ADAMS

Academic

Dave . . . mischievous, witty . . . studies diligently??? . . . part-time employee at Ed Lebo's Texaco Station . . . expert hunter and trapper . . . interested in modified cars . . . engages in winter sports . . . found with Butch during school hours . . . will become a machinist at Wyomissing Polytech.

Class Play 11; Track 10, 11.



JANE ANGSTADT

General

Jayne . . . dark hair and eyes . . . jovial personality . . . chief typist for the "Observer" . . . spends leisure time writing letters . . . energetic gum chewer . . . enthusiastic P.O.D. student??? . . . lends an ear to Ray Anthony . . . loves week-end driving . . . desires an office position.

Observer 11, 12.

MARJORIE BALTHASER

Academic

Margie . . . petite, capable student . . . always cheerful . . . hails from West Leesport . . . enthusiastic and faithful clarinetist in the band . . . ardent football fan . . . member of Pennsylvania Dutch Club . . . favorite pastime is practicing music lessons??? . . . future music major at West Chester.

Band 10, 11, 12; County Band 11; Mixed Chorus 12; Class Play 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; Muhltobi; Honor Society 12.



CAROL ANN BECHTEL

Commercial

Becky . . . flashing blue eyes . . . naturally curly locks . . . dashes around during 6th period . . . always ailing??? . . . one of Miss Horton's warblers . . . spends Friday nights in Centerport . . . life of any party . . . drowns her sorrows playing the piano . . . lover of cats . . . future secretary.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Muhlares 12; Muhltobi; Pa. Dutch Club 11.



SHIRLEY BECKER

Commercial

Shirley . . . blonde, blue-eyed miss . . . well-liked by everyone . . . takes minutes at Y-Teens meetings . . . front stepper of the flag twirlers . . . early riser for Mixed Chorus . . . ardent admirer of a certain U. of P. student . . . T.V. drama fan . . . plans to be a medical secretary.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Secretary 12; Highway Patrol 10, 11; Flag Twirlers 10, 11, 12; Muhltobi; Honor Society 12.

MARTHA BEHM

Commercial

Martha . . . constantly worrying . . . reticent . . . part-time sales clerk . . . avid history student??? . . . favors archery and swimming . . . likes filing . . . pastimes are movies and reading books . . . prefers the opposite sex tall, dark, and handsome . . . busy secretary . . . will enlist in the Waves after graduation.

G.A.A. 12; Archery Club 12.



CAROL BITNER

Academic

Carol . . . unpredictable redhead . . . renowned for her deep blush . . . ably upholds convictions . . . zealous basketball and hockey participant . . . pilots Horizon Club . . . spends summers as camp counselor . . . poetry and classical music fiend . . . enjoys dabbling with paints . . . nature lover . . . future Navy nurse.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; President 12; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Treasurer 12; Honor Teams: Basketball 10, 11, 12; Hockey 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 10; Swimming Club 10, 11, 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; Secretary-Treasurer 12; Honor Society 11, 12; Muhltobi.



RONALD BLATT

Academic

Burr . . . able student and agile athlete . . . one of the "monks" . . . travels in a '46 Ford . . . conservative dresser . . . favorite pastime is sports . . . detests skating . . . one of Matty's regulars . . . excellent golfer . . . shouts, "Come on, you guys" . . . will enter college or work for Consumers Gas Company.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Junior Varsity Basketball 11.

MARY ELLEN BOYER

Academic

Mary Ellen . . . dark-haired lass from Exeter . . . enthusiastic equestrienne . . . likes political rallies??? . . . fond of skating, swimming, and baseball . . . seen at George's . . . dotes on "Who-Dun-Its" . . . spends spare time at Woolworth's . . . plans to major in teaching at Eastern Massachusetts College.



DARWIN BRENDLINGER

Academic

Bren . . . towering football end . . . rare sense of humor . . . expert typist??? . . . T.V. addict . . . "screeching" tenor in Muhleteers . . . pilots father's Ford . . . always eating . . . improves housing facilities in spare time . . . favorite haunt is Fairview Street . . . will pull teeth in the future.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; District Chorus 11; County Chorus 11; Muhleteers 11, 12; Hi-Y 12; Varsity Basketball Manager 10, 11; Varsity Football 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Muhltobi.





DIANE BROKENSHERE

Commercial

Diane . . . cheerful personality . . . always smiling . . . part-time salesgirl . . . enjoys sports and swings a mean hockey stick . . . thinks Gregory Peck is super . . . switched her allegiance from Navy to Army . . . suffers with allergies . . . hopes to be somebody's stenographer.

Mixed Chorus 12; Horizon Club 10, 11; Muhltohi; Track 10; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Honor Teams: Basketball 10; Hockey 10, 12; Volleyball 10, 11.



GAYLE BROWN

Academic

Brownie . . . fair hair and blue eyes . . . usually laughing . . . ardent football fan . . . one of Miss Horton's altos . . . spirited band member . . . pet expression, "How-de-do" . . . accomplished pianist . . . favorite teacher is Mr. Harris??? . . . aspires to be a nurse and care for Bobby's ailments.

Band 12; Mixed Chorus 12; Y-Teens 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11; Muhltohi.

JEAN BULLES

Academic

Jeanie . . . "with the light brown hair" . . . when not singing, laughing . . . faithful friend . . . expert driver??? . . . all around sports fan . . . one of the original M.T.H.S. high steppers . . . advocates "Darwin's" theory . . . never a spare moment . . . "Observer" page editor . . . future dental hygienist.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 10, 11; Muhlaire's 10, 11, 12; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Highway Patrol 10, 11; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Class Play 11, 12; Majorettes 12; Flag Twirlers 10, 11; G.A.A. 10, 11; Swimming Club 10, 11; Quill and Scroll 12.



LOLITA BUNNELL

Academic

Loie . . . vivacious . . . personality plus . . . edits "Observer" . . . co-authoress of football programs . . . widowed co-ed of senior play . . . operates on dawn to dusk school schedule . . . capable Mixed Chorus soprano . . . consumes time for Consumer's Gas Company, comes vacation . . . next year's campus co-ed.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11; Y-Teens 11; Highway Patrol 10, 11; Honor Society 11, 12; Secretary 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Class Secretary 10, 11, 12; Class Play 12; G.A.A. 10; Honor Teams: Hockey 10, Volleyball 10; Quill and Scroll 12.



GLORIA BURKHART

Commercial

Gloria . . . pert blonde . . . slaves over homework??? . . . Friday night bowler . . . a steady vacationist from school . . . constantly chewing gum and laughing . . . neat as a pin . . . fond of new clothes . . . enjoys telling a good joke . . . a brain in shorthand class??? . . . future fashionist.

Muhltohi.



RUTH BURKHART

Academic

Ruth . . . studious, amiable senior . . . early riser . . . travels from Centerport . . . drives '37 Willys . . . German enthusiast??? . . . Pennsylvania Dutch Club vice-president . . . pastime preferences are dancing and singing . . . sports fan . . . intends to become a nurse at Reading Hospital after graduation.

Mixed Chorus 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12.



ALBERT CAMILLI

Academic

Herm . . . tall, dark, and handsome . . . class crooner . . . resides in Temple . . . good student . . . rugged football guard . . . ardent Braves fan . . . pilots a '48 Olds . . . favorite pastimes are dancing, sports, and opposite sex . . . known as Joe to Mr. Harris . . . plans to either attend college or work in mushroom business.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Muhleteers 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Varsity Football 12; Junior Varsity Football 11; Track 12.



JOHN CANONICO

General

Jack . . . one of the taller seniors . . . giant tackle . . . always flirting . . . doesn't believe that good things come in small packages . . . co-captained a successful football season . . . adores a certain blonde . . . usually seen driving his father's Chevy . . . future ambition is to attend college in the South.

Hi-Y 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Varsity Basketball 11; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Baseball 11, 12.

DORIS CLARK

General

Clarkie . . . cute brunette . . . snappy dresser . . . part of the marching unit . . . an active Y-Teens member . . . spends a lot of time on homework??? . . . admires a certain Marine . . . relishes going to the Poconos . . . lends an ear to Stan Kenton . . . pet expression, "Yah-Yeh" . . . "Love me, love my dog" . . . hopes to obtain a future office position.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltoshi; Color Guard 12; Swimming Club 10.



RONALD CLOUSER

Academic

"C" . . . winning personality . . . neatly attired . . . respected leader of Student Council . . . a hot trumpeteer and Stan Kenton enthusiast . . . drives a '48 Chevy . . . never found in homeroom . . . plans to further his education in the field of business.

Orchestra 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; County Band 10, 11; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Muhleteers 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Hall Patrol Court 11; Honor Society 11, 12; President 12; Student Council, Vice-President 11, President 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 11; Projectionist Club 10.





JUDITH ANN CONRAD

Academic

Judy . . . full of vim, vigor, and vitality . . . perpetual pest . . . regular absentee . . . enjoys "Observer" deadlines??? . . . veteran cheerleader . . . ardent Stan Kenton fan . . . admires surveyors . . . employed at Keystone Dairy . . . passenger in "Oil Burner" . . . future Bell Telephone employee or "lady in white".

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Cheerleading 10, 11, 12.



JOHN CORDIER

Academic

Jack . . . prankster . . . always pesting the girls . . . one of the Frush Valley gang . . . brilliant chemist??? . . . lady killer . . . able mechanic . . . can usually be found at Matty's or Gerrie's . . . would rather hunt than sleep . . . maniac at the wheel . . . intends to join the Navy.

County Chorus 10; Mixed Chorus 10; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12.

SHIRLEY CORRELL

Commercial

Shirley . . . genial, full of quiet merriment . . . blushes easily . . . social chairman of Y-Teens . . . enthusiastic traveler . . . television fan . . . a chief cook at church dances . . . pines for the great outdoors . . . spends summers at "Susie-Q" along the "Tully" . . . future time will be consumed by secretarial work.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Red Cross Club 10, 11, 12; Treasurer 10, 11; Muhltohi.



CHARLES DANIELS

Academic

Butch . . . solemn student . . . energetic??? . . . sports crew cut . . . boisterous hall monitor . . . fond of basketball and football . . . early riser for Mixed Chorus . . . class thespian . . . likes swimming, ice skating, and trapping . . . future machinist after attending Wyomissing Polytech.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Class Play 11, 12.



KENNETH DAUTRICH

Industrial

Doc . . . active, never in trouble??? . . . happy-go-lucky . . . member of 12-1 gang . . . charter member of Pennsylvania Dutch Club . . . second "bassman" for Mixed Chorus . . . always studying hot Fords . . . prefers the wide open spaces . . . expects to be sailing the high seas for Uncle Sam.

Mixed Chorus 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12.

CONSTANCE DELP

Home Economics

Connie . . . red-haired, blue-eyed lassie from Alsace . . . usually seen but not heard . . . favorite pastime is going to the movies . . . often seen driving a Chevy . . . adores sewing . . . great admirer of children . . . loves homework??? . . . future ambition is to be a sewing machine operator.



GERALD DeTURK

Academic

Jerry . . . jovial . . . vocal and instrumental baritone . . . resides in South Temple . . . star baseball catcher . . . sports a '39 Chevy . . . Dick in the junior class play . . . favorite diversions are listening to Kenton records, antique collecting, and dancing . . . will either be a music major or an antique dealer.

Orchestra 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; County Band 11; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11, 12; Muhleteers 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12, Hall Patrol 11, 12; Class Play 11; Baseball 10.



HELEN DRUMHELLER

Commercial

Helen . . . sedate Alsace globe-trotter . . . always eating . . . faithful hockey game participant . . . likes the opposite sex??? . . . avid ice skating fan . . . helps her dad on bakery truck . . . fond of canines . . . dislikes all phases of housework . . . hopes to spend future as an airline hostess.

Y-Teens 12; Class Play 11; Muhltoti; G.A.A. 12; Hockey Honor Team 12; Archery Club 12.

STANLEY DUTT

Industrial

Dutt . . . affable nature . . . short and tricky . . . enjoys the outdoors . . . dislikes opposite sex??? . . . Jerry Lewis fan . . . appears to be the quiet type . . . sports enthusiast, preference is track . . . president of Pennsylvania Dutch Club . . . dreads homework . . . will enlist in the Navy.

Hi-Y 12; Cross Country 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; Vice-President 11, President 12.



LYNN ECKERT

General

Eckey . . . heard before seen . . . hunting and fishing enthusiast . . . admirer of opposite sex . . . spends his weekends playing the accordion in his father's orchestra . . . adores school??? . . . last to arrive at school, first to leave . . . future musician and salesman for Deka batteries.





GERALD ESHELMAN

General

Gerry . . . new addition to class . . . arrived from Reading High School in December . . . steadily employed after school at Rachman's in Reading . . . following all sports events is his chief hobby . . . favorite dish is veal cutlet . . . always seen with his newly acquired friend, Paul Hamaker.



ROBERT EYRICH

Academic

Bob . . . mechanically inclined . . . loves home work??? . . . pet expression, "I don't know" . . . great admirer of the opposite sex??? . . . big car racing fan . . . main interest—woodshop . . . loves the sound of 3:25 bell . . . known as "Ebb" to his intimate friends . . . future plans—indefinite.

THOMAS FLANAGAN

Industrial

Tom . . . smiling Irishman . . . "hot rod" enthusiast . . . brain in disguise . . . behaves in cafeteria??? . . . spends leisure time in Wernersville . . . speeds to school in a '38 Ford from Bern Township . . . favorite class—study . . . Ralph Flanagan fan . . . always with Joe . . . football spectator . . . future undecided.



JOSEPH FRICK

Industrial

Joe . . . quiet but rugged . . . expert defensive end on football team . . . Mr. Buckworth's half-miler . . . the "Arkansas Traveler" . . . dislikes the fair sex??? . . . whiz on ice skates . . . has a four-mile hike after football practice . . . drives his dad's '50 Hudson . . . member of the gym club . . . Tom's friend . . . undecided future.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Track 10, 11, 12



JACK GASSERT

Academic

Jack . . . quiet, friendly, and reserved . . . successful creator of strange experiments in chemistry lab . . . Mr. J. W. White's reliable source for correct "trig" answers . . . steadfast follower of athletic contests . . . a loyal deliverer of the "Reading Eagle" . . . loves the out of doors and camping . . . vocation undecided.

Honor Society 12.

BLAINE GAUL

Commercial

Blaine . . . dignified and quiet . . . ruddy complexion . . . aims his '38 Chevy from Wernersville to Muhlenberg daily . . . likes dances??? . . . enthusiastic Cardinal fan . . . faithful spectator at athletic contests . . . studious in bookkeeping . . . seeks a position in some Reading business office.



DONALD GESSNER

Academic

Tony . . . little man with the big voice . . . sports a crew cut . . . P.G.'s shadow . . . favorite subjects are lunch and gym . . . never a dull moment . . . lifts weights for a pastime . . . ardent sandlot football player . . . future is a great big question mark.

Mixed Chorus 12.



CHARLES GOHEEN

Academic

Charlie . . . happy-go-lucky . . . always laughing . . . well known for his queer smile . . . a brain in trig??? . . . average student . . . producer of sour notes in the band regularly employed at gas station . . . spare time chauffeur for his friends . . . future gasoline dispenser.

Band 11, 12; Hi-Y 12.

NORITA GRETH

Commercial

Rita . . . neatly attired . . . hails from Hyde Park . . . admires males . . . member of Horizon Club . . . spends spare time working at Imber's . . . relishes traveling . . . pet expression, "My Word" . . . football fan . . . one of the gang . . . plans to work in an office after graduation.

Horizon Club 12.



D. GAIL HAGGERTY

General

Gail . . . pleasing personality . . . "Ron's" to "Rapp" on a certain door . . . efficient high stepper . . . smaller member of the class . . . enjoys slumber parties . . . Irish temper . . . rips around in a black '51 Chevy . . . handy seamstress . . . checks truants at Y-Teens meetings . . . future medical secretary.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Muhlaire's 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltohi; Majorettes 10, 11, 12;





JEAN HAIN

Academic

Jean . . . striking dimples . . . animated question mark . . . witty feature editor . . . daily cafeteria decorator . . . speed demon in the halls . . . considers vocalizing a chore . . . official Student Council financier . . . teaches tiny Sunday School tots . . . plans to attend co-ed college.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Debating 10, 11, 12; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Honor Society 11, 12; Treasurer 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12; Treasurer 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltchi G.A.A. 10, 11; Vice President 11; Honor Teams: Basketball 10, 11; Hockey 10; Volleyball 10; Swimming Club 10, 11; Quill and Scroll 12.



PAUL HAMAKER

Industrial

Skip . . . usually found in the middle of everything . . . a pin in the seat of any class . . . one of Mr. Spancake's Hi-Y boys . . . ham of Muhl Revue . . . drives antique Chevy usually found with "flat-feet" . . . field and stream follower . . . see Skip for future domestic heating problems.

Mixed Chorus 10; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 11.

RICHARD HARDINGER

Industrial

Richard . . . enthusiastic metal shop worker . . . known as Dick to Mr. Winters . . . frequently seen in his Chevy . . . works after school at Spatz's Service Station . . . favorite pastime is tinkering around motors . . . plans to attend Wyomissing Polytechnical Institute to learn machinist trade.



ARLAN HECKMAN

General

Boog . . . often seen at Matty's . . . resides in South Temple . . . enthusiastic English student??? . . . always tardy for class . . . soloist in boys' chorus . . . always in trouble with the teachers . . . enthusiastic about model railroads . . . avoids homework . . . plans to work for father in West Chester.



FAY HEITER

Commercial

Fay . . . cheerful, congenial . . . usually cruising around in a blue "Olds" . . . aggressive field marshall . . . adept seamstress . . . commercial whiz . . . part-time bookkeeper . . . member of the "big five" . . . Carrie in the senior class play . . . adores singing??? . . . seeks employment at the Bell Telephone Office.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltchi; Class Play 12; Flag Twirlers 10, 11; Field Marshall 12.

PAUL HETRICH

Academic

P. G. . . grade-A personality . . . athletically minded . . . demigod of underclassmen . . . possesses gavel of senior class . . . acquired name of "Rudolf" for obvious reasons . . . always on time??? . . . pint-sized fullback . . . "Veep" of Hi-Y . . . patronizes Hyde Park "Barber" . . . intends to coach high school athletics.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11; Muhleteers 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Vice President 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Class President 10, 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 10, 11; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Muhltoti; Baseball 11, 12.



JACQUELINE HIGH

Academic

Jackie . . . dimpled miss . . . wearer of unusual glasses . . . increases the insurance rates on her father's car . . . fashionably dressed . . . enthusiastic artist . . . helps patrol "Observer" beat . . . spends summers at Tulpehocken cottage . . . her collie is a constant companion . . . future college student.

Y-Teens 12; Horizon Club 10, 11; Observer 11, 12; Swimming Club 10.



LESTER HINNERSHITZ

General

Lester . . . unobtrusive presence . . . competent art student . . . constant movie fan . . . does homework faithfully??? . . . favorite pastime—collecting bird pictures . . . never late to his P.O.D. class??? . . . enjoys reading adventure stories . . . future plans undecided.



CARL HOLZINGER

Industrial

Carl . . . expert draftsman . . . likes chemistry and physics . . . favorite hobbies are building and flying model airplanes . . . fond of tinkering with electrical gadgets . . . plans to attend Wyomissing Polytechnical night school while being employed by Gilbert Associates, Inc.



LOIS HUGHES

Academic

Lois . . . monopolizes lost and found department . . . explosive type . . . eloquent debater . . . Clara in senior class play . . . mathematical whiz . . . Mr. Harris's chief opponent . . . handy with the needle . . . one of Frank Reeser's waitresses . . . enjoys camping, reading, and pinochle . . . future undecided.

Debating 11, 12; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Photography Club 10; Observer 12; Class Play 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; G.A.A. 10, 11; Swimming Club 10, 11.



SHIRLEY KAUFFMAN

Academic

Cough-Drop . . . peaches and cream complexion . . . friend to all . . . active voice in Spanish class . . . early riser on Tuesday and Wednesday . . . looks forward to "Observer" deadlines??? . . . there's a Ford in her future . . . after graduation hopes to say "Number, please."

Mixed Chorus 10, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Highway Patrol 10; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi.



ERNEST KELLER

Industrial

Ernie . . . carefree individual . . . enjoys hunting for deer??? . . . travels to and from school in a station wagon . . . sometimes called "Tennessee" . . . favorite subject is history??? . . . miniature golf caddy . . . indifferent to female sex . . . plans to attend Wyomissing Polytechnical Institute.

ERMA KLEINSMITH

Commercial

Erma . . . enthusiastic Y-Teens worker . . . always at football games . . . hails from Maidencreek . . . Mrs. Miller in the class play . . . loves history??? . . . favorite pastimes are music and movies . . . known to many as "My Friend Erma" . . . efficient "Observer" typist . . . plans to attend Bryland Institute.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Class Play 12.



DELORES KLINE

Home Economics

Delores . . . active, blue-eyed lass from Alsace . . . always heard singing and laughing . . . faithful Sunday School teacher . . . admires Fords . . . delaying for a certain someone . . . comes to school in a station wagon . . . handy with a needle and thread . . . baby sitter . . . hopes to follow sewing profession.

Photography Club 10, 11; Muhltohi.



JOSEPHINE KLINE

Commercial

Josie . . . diminutive, full of vim, always smiling . . . entered our class in her junior year . . . left Wilson to meet "Wilson" . . . cute, peppy cheerleader . . . identifies photography for the Muhltohi . . . seen driving her mother's Chevy . . . plans to hold a secretarial position.

Cheerleading 11, 12; Muhltohi; Y-Teens 11, 12.

SHIRLEY KLINE

Commercial

Shirley . . . impish blue eyes . . . dislikes bookkeeping??? . . . heard pounding keys at "Observer" deadline . . . capable driver of '37 Plymouth . . . prefers dancing above everything . . . television fan . . . an engaged member of the class . . . resides at Walnuttown . . . future office worker.

Muhltohi; Observer 11, 12.



MARIE KNOLL

General

Peanut . . . pert, peppy cheerleader . . . entertains lunchtime companions with jokes . . . prodigious eater . . . strolls into school at nine every morning . . . dislikes boys??? . . . constant gum customer . . . expert driver??? . . . sews three stitches and rips four . . . "Number please" will be her future slogan.

Cheerleading 10, 11, 12; G.A.A. 10; Y-Teens 11, 12.



RODNEY KNOUSE

Industrial

Rod . . . very hushed . . . loyal acquaintance . . . often seen piloting his "hopped-up" Ford??? . . . nimble knitter . . . likes the outdoors . . . hunting and fishing are his favorite sports . . . resident of Frush Valley . . . hopes to attend night school and learn machinist trade.

JOYCE KOCH

Home Economics

Joyce . . . happy tray-slinger in the cafeteria . . . usually at "Observer" deadlines . . . cool, calm, and collects for Debutante products . . . favorite pastime—day dreaming . . . faithful member of Luther League . . . future sales girl or sewing instructor for Singer.

Photography Club 10, 11; Observer 11, 12.



BARBARA KOCHEL

General

Bobbie . . . slim, talkative . . . usually with Joan . . . noted for eating huge lunches in the cafeteria . . . proud owner of a Chevy . . . Chitwood understudy . . . has an interest in the Air Force . . . veteran member of band and Mixed Chorus . . . talented seamstress . . . Ralph Flanagan fan . . . future Beaver College entrant.

Orchestra 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11, 12; Muhlaire 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Class Play 11; Muhltohi.





ROBERT KOPFER

General

Bob . . . hails from Temple . . . never quiet, never still . . . favorite pastimes are hunting and fishing . . . second home is I.M.W. Club . . . good dancer . . . loves P.O.D.??? . . . card enthusiast . . . occupation—working on teachers' nerves . . . undecided future unless Uncle Sam beckons.



MARY KRAMER

Academic

Mary . . . cheerful chatterbox . . . never an idle moment . . . constant late-comer . . . enthusiastic majorette . . . Muhlaire songstress . . . arranges Y-Teens programs . . . speaks Spanish fluently??? . . . part-time car hop at Spikes . . . driver of the "Oil Burner" . . . plans to be an elementary school teacher.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; District Chorus 11; County Chorus 11; Muhlaire 12; Debating 11; Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltohi; Majorettes 11, 12; Flag Twirlers 10; Volleyball Honor Team 10; Swimming Club 10.

VIRGINIA KUTZER

Academic

Ginny . . . pug-nosed, vivacious . . . catchy Middletown drawl . . . favorite saying, "Oh, man" . . . member of the color guard . . . whole heartedly enjoys chemistry??? . . . definitely a Kenton fan . . . "Al" ways interested in Hamburg . . . is considering a nursing career or saying "Number please".

Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltohi; Color Guard 12.



JANET LABE

General

Janet . . . attractive . . . has an open eye for the opposite sex . . . one of the gang from Hyde Park . . . spends her nights writing letters to a certain someone . . . favorite color "Syll"-ver . . . likes horses . . . expert driver??? . . . favorite sport is swimming . . . future desire is to be a telephone operator.

Color Guard 12.



ROBERT LABE

Commercial

Bobby . . . often seen but seldom heard . . . slight in stature . . . daily commuter from Blandon via a '41 Ford . . . pastime is bowling . . . clever wood designer . . . football and basketball enthusiast . . . rates Yankees as tops . . . worships English literature??? . . . future to be decided by Uncle Sam.

JOHN LANTZ

General

Johnnie . . . silent, bashful type . . . capable student . . . especially in math . . . cross country star . . . rigid ruler of 12-3 homeroom . . . baffled by the fairer sex . . . believes there's no place like home . . . will drive anybody's car . . . probable entrant at Wyomissing Polytechnical Institute.

Hall Patrol 11, 12; Track 11; Cross Country 11, 12.



PATRICIA LEIGHTON

General

Pat . . . pert, diminutive miss . . . enjoys the distinction of being the shortest senior girl . . . faithful rooter for Muhls . . . active member of Y-Teens . . . theme song is "Bell Bottom Trousers" . . . possesses a keen sense of humor . . . aspires to be a beautician or an office worker.

Mixed Chorus 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltoti.



DONALD LERCH

Industrial

Red . . . rough and ready . . . very graceful??? . . . performs on the gridiron and track . . . expert tumbler . . . resides in backwoods of Temple . . . enjoys hunting (not only game), fishing, and trapping . . . always "Bobbi"ng around Matty's in the evening . . . undecided about the future.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Track 10, 11, 12.

EARL LODER

Academic

Earl . . . clever, jovial . . . travels the long distance to school in a '36 Plymouth . . . defensive captain of the football team . . . known as "Squirrel" to the gang . . . hides behind his tuba during band practice . . . Van Johnson of the senior class play . . . intends to train to become "Dr. Loder."

Orchestra 10, 11, 12; District Orchestra 12; State Orchestra 12; Band 10, 11, 12; District Band 11, 12; County Band 10; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Class Play 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; State Band 12.



ROBERT LUTZ

General

Bob . . . always happy . . . talkative . . . possessor of a side-splitting laugh . . . hails from Blandon . . . speedy??? . . . favorite topic of conversation—sports . . . Mr. Buckworth's able manager . . . avid television fan . . . enthusiastic hunter . . . roots for the Philadelphia Eagles . . . vocation undecided.

Track Manager 11, 12.





RICHARD MACHEMER

Academic

Rich . . . sedate senior . . . constantly eating . . . teller of hair-raising jokes . . . adept pole vaulter . . . Cardinal rooter . . . hitch-hiker to Centerport . . . favorite pastime is sports . . . lover of chemistry?? . . . movie enthusiast . . . blue jeans fan . . . one of Miss Horton's early-morning tenors . . . vocationally undecided.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Track 12.



VIRGINIA MANWILLER

Academic

Ginny . . . pert, petite . . . possesses an indescribable laugh . . . Worship co-chairman for Y-Teens . . . adept marcher . . . is fascinated by the sea, or perhaps it's the Navy . . . enjoys music and dancing . . . spends spare time taking Dagwood naps . . . hopes to enter the field of nursing after graduation.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Student Council 11; Muhltobi; G.A.A. 10, 11; Honor Teams: Basketball 10, Hockey 11; Swimming Club 12; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12.

JAMES MARBARGER

General

Jim . . . lean and lanky . . . always studious??? . . . enjoys art class . . . avid canine fancier . . . regularly employed at the Acme after school hours . . . frequently seen driving the family car . . . detests all high school dances . . . no immediate future plans.



JACQUELIN MARTIN

Academic

Jackie . . . petite, pensive . . . auburn hair and brown eyes . . . "Jack" of all trades . . . blushes easily . . . pet expression, "I like it" . . . excellent Spanish student . . . partial to blue . . . dreams of "Flirtation Walk" and a cadet . . . plans to study medicine at Ursinus College.

Debating 11; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 11; Muhltobi; G.A.A. 10, 11; Honor Teams Manager 10, 11; Swimming Club 10.



WILLIAM MARTIN

Industrial

Bill . . . bashful . . . one of the silent members of the class??? . . . seen driving his '39 Chevy to and from school . . . mechanically inclined . . . identified by a lone-some dimple . . . zealous history student??? . . . has no time for girls??? . . . plans to tinker with mechanics after graduation.

DONALD MILLER

Academic

Punky . . . small, peppery, easily pleased . . . seen and heard . . . football enthusiast . . . loyal Red Sox booster . . . plays tenor sax for Centerport Band . . . always seen in a different car . . . one of Mr. Hoffman's boilermakers . . . capable math student? ?? . . . plans to enter Wyomissing Polytech.

Orchestra 12; Band 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 12.



RALPH MILLER

Academic

Mike . . . nice personality, a keen sense of humor, and full of fun . . . started his education at Harrisburg and later went to Frackville . . . likes to dance and travel . . . favorite pastime is baseball . . . relishes mechanical drawing . . . a big hit with the girls??? . . . uncertain about his future.

Class Play 12; Hi-Y 12.



CHRISTINE MITCHELL

Academic

Chris . . . quiet . . . meticulous dresser . . . hails from Centerport . . . pet expression, "I like it" . . . loves to dance to music of Ralph Flanagan . . . constantly hums "Because of You" . . . excellent economics student . . . prefers U. S. Army . . . blushes easily . . . haunts Hamburg Diner . . . undecided future.

Orchestra 10; Muhltzhi.

SHIRLEY MOSES

Commercial

Shirley . . . lively, loquacious . . . collector of felines . . . can always be found at the mimeograph machine . . . capable bookkeeper . . . her summer nickname is "Toby" . . . one of Mrs. Binckley's aides . . . enjoys a night at Skateland . . . constant correspondent . . . will spend time in Laureldale Out Grown Shop.



KENNETH MOYER

Commercial

Ken . . . sedate, gentlemanly, and quiet . . . comes to school in the Bandon Express . . . can guarantee an A in typing . . . first bass for chorus—second base for Bandon Fire Company . . . firmly resists the opposite sex . . . will attend night business school while employed at Temple State Bank.





JOHN NOLL

Academic

Johnny . . . always joking . . . studious, quiet gentleman . . . resides near the Schuylkill River . . . speaks Pennsylvania Dutch dialect . . . labored three years in football . . . ardent sports fan . . . hunting and fishing enthusiast . . . tele-viewer . . . keen sense of humor . . . may work at Parish Pressed Steel.

Junior Varsity Football 10, 11.



MARY LEE PEARAH

Academic

Mary Lee . . . conventional, congenial . . . often greets queries with a wide-eyed stare . . . faithful cheerleader . . . provides nourishment at "Observer" deadlines . . . Emily in the junior class play . . . co-editor of football programs . . . melodies issue from her "baby grand" . . . will attend liberal arts college.

Orchestra 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Secretary 12; Highway Patrol 10, 11; Honor Society 11, 12; Vice President 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12; Treasurer 12; Muhltzhi; Class Play 11; Cheerleading 10, 11, 12; Track 10; G.A.A. 10, 11; Swimming Club 10, 11; Observer 11, 12; Honor Teams: Volleyball 10, Hockey 10; Quill and Scroll 12.

THOMAS PASKOS

Academic

Tom . . . silent but congenial class member . . . capable accompanist and second bass for Mixed Chorus . . . dignified portrayal of Dean Gillingham in senior class play . . . renders piano recitals after school hours . . . likes diversified music . . . future pre-dental student at Albright and U. of P.

Mixed Chorus 12; Class Play 12.



GLORIA PEHLMAN

Commercial

Glo . . . slim figure, curly locks . . . charming personality . . . a bulwark in the alto section . . . guards the strong box for Y-Teens . . . glides over the dance floor with ease . . . weakness for attractive clothes . . . enjoys playing the piano . . . cures her ills with "Herbs" . . . future secretary or beautician.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Y-Teens Junior Treasurer 11; Senior Treasurer 12; Muhltzhi.



RODNEY PRICE

General

Rodney . . . likable senior class member . . . easy going . . . dresses neatly . . . found driving his smart Chevy in Temple . . . frequently attends both Muhlenberg and Reading High football games . . . spends his evenings watching television . . . his romance dwells in Reading . . . future is indefinite.

JOAN RAPP

General

Joan . . . pleasant and seemingly quiet . . . always in an escapade with Bobbie . . . rates dancing tops . . . driving policy, "Pretend you don't see them" . . . henpecked Otis in class play . . . ardent chemistry fan??? . . . partial to co-ed summer camps . . . aspires to become a "woman in white".

Y-Teens 11, 12; Class Play 11; Color Guard 12; Muhltzhi; Observer 11, 12.



RONALD RAPP

General

Ronnie . . . good student??? . . . one of the "Monks" . . . gets around in a '51 Chevy . . . colorful dresser . . . likes P.O.D.??? . . . regular visitor on Jefferson Street . . . activities include girls, food, and football . . . favorite saying, "you 29 guys" . . . will seek employment with the Metropolitan Edison Company.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Varsity Basketball 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 11; Varsity Football 12; Junior Varsity Football 11; Class Play 11; Observer 11; Muhltzhi.



F. ROBERT REESER

Academic

Bob . . . well-fed, jovial . . . vociferous laughter . . . one of Miss Horton's male thrushes . . . idolizer of long-haired music . . . constantly ejaculating phrases in Pennsylvania Dutch, German, and French . . . partial to chemistry??? . . . part-time baker in father's chow house . . . future linguist and restaurateur.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; County Chorus 11, 12; District Chorus 12; Muhleteers 11, 12; Class Play 11; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; Honor Society 12.

STUART ROLAND

General

Red . . . meticulous dresser . . . enthused about golf . . . allergic to girls??? . . . brain in English class??? . . . comely basketball star who "floors" them . . . pet expression, "You know it" . . . keen dancer . . . always heard before seen . . . pilots a '47 Mercury . . . future—relax and take life as it comes.

Varsity Basketball 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 10.



EARL ROTHERMEL

Commercial

Earl . . . tall, curly-haired lad . . . friendly . . . talkative . . . easy going . . . great sense of humor . . . where there's Earl there's trouble . . . his voice is a valuable addition to Muhleteers . . . uses "Ethel" gasoline in his '41 Ford . . . draws pay-check at Bachman's . . . future intentions unknown.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 10, 11; Muhleteers 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12; Class Play 11; Muhltzhi.





PATRICIA SCHAEFFER

Academic

Pat . . . essence of neatness . . . doggedly seeks alumni news . . . rapt listener to music . . . suffers palpitation of the heart on current events day in P.O.D. . . . bookworm . . . enjoys train rides to Philly!! . . . expects to become a camp counselor during summer months . . . wishes to attend college.

Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; G.A.A. 10, 11; Honor Teams: Hockey 10, Volleyball 10; Swimming Club 10; Red Cross Club 10, 11, 12; Vice President 12.



SHIRLEY SCHELL

Academic

Shirley . . . slender brunette . . . dry humor . . . known for musical "oh's" and "ah's" . . . daydreams in chemistry . . . portrayed studious role in senior class play . . . Safety Patrol secretary . . . backseat driver of the "Bug" . . . employed at Whitner's . . . has a yen for her father's Lincoln . . . future nurse in veterans' hospital.

Highway Patrol 10, 11, 12; Secretary 12; Class Play 12; G.A.A. 10, 11; Hockey Honor Team 10; Muhltohi.

WINIFRED SCHELL

Academic

Winnie . . . brown hair, hazel eyes . . . aggressive lass . . . athletically inclined . . . detests oral reports . . . faithful member of "Observer" staff . . . small-game huntress . . . salesgirl at Whitner's . . . another backseat driver of the "Bug" . . . resides in Reading . . . striving for journalistic career.

Observer 11, 12; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Honor Teams: Hockey 10, Volleyball 10, 11, 12; Swimming Club 10, 12; Muhltohi; Quill and Scroll 12.



HELEN SCHOENER

Academic

Peepsie . . . impish . . . constantly blushing . . . diligent worker on "Observer" staff . . . veteran basketball guard . . . convincing debater . . . able class play chairman . . . takes to the hills during the summer . . . enjoys poetry, swimming, and dancing . . . will enter college this fall.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Debating 10, 11, 12; Vice President 12; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Vice President 11, 12; Honor Society 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Honor Teams: Basketball 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 10; Swimming Club 10, 11, 12; Quill and Scroll 12.



HARVEY SEIDEL

Academic

Donnie . . . blond, wavy hair . . . jovial personality . . . zealous runner after school . . . sweeps the chords on his squeeze box . . . tinkers with firearms . . . chemistry maniac??? . . . future ambition is to enter Wyomissing Polytech or the United States Air Force.

Hi-Y 12; Class Play 12; Cross Country 11.

RONALD SELL

Academic

Ronald . . . red hair and freckles . . . lover of six period days??? . . . capable defensive guard on football team . . . secretary of Hi-Y . . . scoots to school on dependable motor bike . . . spends after school hours repairing car parts . . . future plans are to study dentistry.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Secretary 12; Hall Patrol Court 12; Varsity Football 12; Junior Varsity Football 10, 11; Honor Society 12.



WILSON SHALTER

Industrial

Wils . . . possesses a ready smile . . . likes English themes and book reports??? . . . more days absent than present . . . frequently found working on his Plymouth . . . neat dresser . . . Canada Dry employee . . . keeps late hours . . . fondness for a certain cheerleader . . . plans for the future are indefinite.

Band 10; Mixed Chorus 10, 11.



CONSTANCE SHAVER

Commercial

Connie . . . vivacious and gay . . . engaging shut-eye grin . . . friendly personality . . . efficient president of Red Cross . . . earns her pennies by dipping ice cream . . . tremendous appetite . . . leisure time pursuits consist of movies and television . . . loves shorthand??? . . . future secretary.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Red Cross Club 10, 11, 12; President 10, 11, 12; Muhltobi.

JAMES SHEIPE

Academic

Jake . . . handsome . . . bashful??? . . . sharp dresser . . . speedster in Temple Cleaners' truck . . . admirer of feminine beauty . . . renowned southpaw . . . worships his batting average . . . rates Ted Williams as tops . . . proud owner of '36 Chevy . . . future plans uncertain.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12.



BARRY SHIPE

Academic

Bosh . . . invariably laughing . . . favorite expression, "It's not the size of the dog; it's the fight in him" . . . flirtatious class member . . . ardent "Frontier Playhouse" fan . . . scrappy guard on the Muhls' line . . . cruises the town in a '49 Studebaker . . . hopes to attend college next fall.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11; Varsity Basketball 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 10; Varsity Football 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 11, 12.





EARL SITLINGER

Academic

Earl . . . resident of Laureldale . . . firmly convinced that movies surpass T.V.—especially at Loew's . . . favorite subject is art . . . has plenty of time to do his homework??? . . . possesses distinct diction . . . favorite saying, "Now look, son" . . . evening begins at ten o'clock . . . uncertain future.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12.



JOAN SNYDER

Academic

Joan . . . peppy . . . congenial miss . . . seen at all games . . . proud possessor of a driver's license . . . enjoys verbal bouts . . . tinkers with school movie projectors . . . "eager beaver" Y-Teen . . . sophisticated co-ed in senior class play . . . wild about Wildwood . . . plans to specialize in merchandising at Drexel.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; County Chorus 11, 12; Debating 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Photography Club 10; Traffic Court 10, 11, 12; President 11, 12; Class Play 12; Projectionist Club 10, 11, 12; President 11, 12; G.A.A. 10; Hockey Honor Team 10; Swimming Club 10, 11, 12; Muhltobi; Student Council 12; Honor Society 12.

NORMAN SNYDER

Commercial

Norman . . . genial class member with black curly hair??? . . . prompt for school . . . likes English??? . . . indulges in bookkeeping . . . often seen in a two-toned Chevy at the Temple Cadets . . . on no occasion does he neglect a dance . . . plans for the future include the United States Navy.



WILLIAM SNYDER

Industrial

Bill . . . busy, quiet . . . always hurrying to get somewhere . . . travels six miles to school . . . pet saying, "Knock it off" . . . chaplain of Hi-Y . . . active in class affairs . . . pumps blue Sunoco in spare time . . . has an interest in class of '51 . . . drives blue Plymouth . . . future employment with Sun Oil Company.

Hi-Y 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Varsity Football 11; Junior Varsity Football 10; Track 10, 11; Muhltobi.



WILLIAM STIFNAGLE

Industrial

Bill . . . jokester . . . never alone . . . one of the taller bulwarks of the Muhl line . . . always utters wise remarks . . . throws the discus for the track team . . . above average student . . . drives his dad's car . . . keen eye for girls . . . regular customer at Matty's . . . will attend Wyomissing Polytech.

Hi-Y 12; Varsity Football 12; Junior Varsity Football 11; Track 11, 12; Muhltobi.

HAROLD STOTZ

Commercial

Mac . . . clown of the senior class . . . enthusiastic baseball pitcher for Mt. Penn . . . enjoys hunting . . . spends spare time at Kagen's . . . often found sleeping at Jimmy's house . . . one of Miss Knauss's favorite comedians??? . . . may enlist in the Air Force after graduation.

Hi-Y 12; Class Vice-President 10; Baseball 12.



CONSTANCE STRICKLER

Academic

Connie . . . cute and talkative . . . naturally blonde hair??? . . . enjoys sporting around in a Chevie . . . always seen with Jean . . . Pennsylvania Dutch is Greek to her . . . thinks Smith is a very unusual name??? . . . enthusiastic sports editor . . . plans to seek a journalistic position.

Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; G.A.A. 10; Honor Teams: Basketball 11, Volleyball 10; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12.



ANN STUMP

Academic

Stumpy . . . neatly attired . . . sophisticated—at times??? . . . vigorous cheerleader . . . watchdog of Horizon Club strongbox . . . versatile actress . . . veteran Muhl Revue troupier . . . class committee worker . . . accomplished ballerina . . . transforms landlubbers to mermaids at summer camp . . . future college co-ed.

Horizon Club Treasurer 10, 11, 12; Photography Club 10; Muhltohi; Class Play 11, 12; Cheerleading 10, 11, 12; G.A.A. 10; Honor Teams: Hockey 10, Volleyball 10; Swimming Club 10; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12; President 11.

JOHN SWEETWOOD

Industrial

Swatty . . . quiet, but a lot of fun . . . hails from the Alsace gang . . . shows a bright side for track . . . attends school regularly??? . . . member of cross country team . . . likes football and baseball . . . has a slow moving Ford??? . . . least of his worries is girls . . . plans to join Navy in future.

Track 11, 12; Cross Country 11, 12.



JEAN SWEITZER

Commercial

Jeanne . . . deep dimples . . . usually laughing . . . pals with Connie . . . thinks all Rothermels are wonderful . . . busy typist for the "Observer" . . . part of the "screech" section in Mixed Chorus . . . a rhythmic dancer . . . in the future, plans to be a beautician.

Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Observer 12; Class Play 11; Pa. Dutch Club 11, 12.





JOAN THOMAS

Academic

Joan . . . towering blonde . . . creates a false air of quietude . . . pantomimist . . . haunts Reading High School social events . . . proud owner of the "Bug" . . . regularly escorts her dog on jaunts . . . enjoys ice-skating . . . physics brain??? . . . future goal is to become a laboratory technician.

Horizon Club 12; Student Council 12; Muhltobi; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Honor Teams: Hockey 10, 11; Volleyball 10, 11; Swimming Club 10.



GERALDINE TOBIAS

Commercial

Gerry . . . talkative, temperamental . . . takes pride in keeping golden locks curled . . . helps to nourish Y-Teens . . . enjoys letter writing . . . chews gum violently . . . weakness for new clothes . . . participates in drum corps . . . eagerly awaits weekends . . . day-dreamer . . . vocation lies in secretarial field.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltobi.

BARBARA WADSWORTH

General

Wadsie . . . trim dresser . . . blondie . . . believe it or not—possesses two differently colored eyes . . . circulation manager for "Observer" . . . sounds off for the Temple Cadets . . . ardent admirer of Stan Kenton . . . fond of "Roy"—al blue . . . always punctual??? . . . aspires to be a receptionist—for a limited time.

Highway Patrol 10; Traffic Court 11; 12; Muhltobi; Observer 11, 12; Volleyball Honor Team 10.



MARYETTA WALDMAN

Academic

Maryetta . . . tall, mischievous blonde . . . perpetually laughing and talking . . . co-chairman of Y-Teens Food Committee . . . appreciates 3:20 bell . . . eagerly awaits approach of the mailman . . . ardent racing fan . . . known to some as "Sweet Mint" . . . proud of her cocker spaniel, Nicky . . . no plans for the future.

Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltobi.



OTTO WALSCHBURGER

Industrial

Ott . . . also known as "Chief" . . . bashful but talkative . . . member of Hall Patrol and Hi-Y . . . Mr. Buckworth's hopeful javelin hurler . . . works on his "hot" motor scooter in spare time . . . likes hunting, fishing, and camping . . . plans to enroll in Wyomissing Polytechnical Institute.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12.

BARBARA WANNER

Academic

Barbara . . . amiable personality . . . long brown tresses . . . pilots band on the field . . . calls Y-Teens meeting to order . . . Cornelia in junior play . . . talented seamstress . . . melodious Muhlaire . . . "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer" is always first on her Hit Parade . . . plans to enter business or medical field.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; District Chorus 11; County Chorus 10, 11; Muhlaire 11, 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Vice-President 11, President 12; Highway Patrol 10; Observer 11; Class Play 11; Band Majorette 12; Majorettes 10, 11, 12; G.A.A. 10, 11; Projectionist Club 10.



PAUL WEAVER

Academic

Paul . . . quiet, dependable . . . taciturn sort of chap . . . a member of the assembly committee as well as boys' chorus . . . interrogator of the "Deutsche" class . . . his pet aversion is P.O.D. . . . favorite pastime—perusing books . . . Shakespearean enthusiast . . . undecided about his future.

Student Council 10; Muhltz.



STANLEY WEIDENHAMMER

General

Stanley . . . resides on Pottsville Pike . . . ardent T.V. fan . . . Phillies admirer . . . favorite subject—trig . . . likes pigeons—both varieties . . . spends week ends at Lesh's Hotel and Dietrich's Dairy . . . effervescent personality . . . bikes to school . . . worries about everything . . . future plans indefinite.

ELWOOD WEIDNER

Industrial

Woody . . . boisterous male . . . carries a torch for track . . . has a "hopped up" Plymouth??? . . . prefers roads leading to Emmaus . . . employed as a clerk at the Food Fair . . . earnest student??? . . . favorite pastime is dancing . . . prefers blondes to brunettes . . . vocation undecided.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Track 11, 12; Cross Country 11, 12.



JAMES WEIDNER

Commercial

Jimmy . . . engaging personality . . . good looking fellow . . . dead-eye hunter . . . collects popular records . . . one of the original "Three Sinners" . . . labors at Heffner's Ford Service . . . Miss Knauss's favorite gagster . . . frequents 11-4 homeroom . . . a future enlistee for the Air Force.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 12.





RONALD WENNELL

Industrial

Ronnie . . . speedy halfback . . . always joking . . . "Pro" to members of the football team . . . drives a variety of new cars . . . seldom studies . . . one of the original "Three Sinners" . . . found with a certain junior miss . . . aspiring mechanical drawing student??? . . . future building contractor.

Hi-Y 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Track 10, 11.



ELMER WHEELER, JR.

General

Fudd . . . carefree . . . laughs heartily . . . where he goes, camera goes . . . mad chemist . . . one of Mr. Shaner's assets backstage??? . . . in Reading more than at home . . . favorite expression, "Don't give me a hard time!" . . . spends spare time at the skating rink . . . hopes to become a stage manager in New York.

Mixed Chorus 12; Hi-Y 11, 12; Photography Club 10, 11, 12; President 12; Class Play 12; Stage Crew 11, 12; Observer 10, 11, 12; Muhltzhi.

LEE WILLIAMS

Academic

Pete . . . good student as well as sturdy athlete . . . well dressed . . . varied school interests . . . president of Hi-Y . . . guardian of Hall Patrol . . . three-letter man . . . scoots around in his dad's '48 Chevy . . . female fancier . . . chemistry is a chore . . . loyal Red Sox fan . . . future college entrant.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Secretary 11, President 12; Hall Patrol 11, Captain 12; Hall Patrol Court 12; Class Vice President 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 11; Varsity Football 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Honor Society 12.



SHIRLEY WILSON

Commercial

Shirley . . . always heard laughing or talking . . . pleasing personality . . . spends activities period in Red Cross Club . . . has an enormous appetite . . . enthusiastic member of choir and Luther League . . . spends leisure time at the Laurel . . . future tends toward secretarial field.

Red Cross Club 10, 11, 12.



BETTY YEAGER

Commercial

Betty . . . jovial brunette . . . favorite color is red . . . rates music high . . . enjoys shorthand . . . typist for the "Observer" . . . ardent baseball fan . . . admirer of Fords . . . early riser . . . excellent photographer??? . . . relishes snacks . . . not attracted by the opposite sex??? . . . plans to become a secretary.

Observer 12.

JANICE YOH

General

Jan . . . dark-eyed and cute . . . dainty dresser . . . faithful member of Y-Teens . . . one of Miss Horton's early risers . . . holds the money bags for the class of '52 . . . part-time cookie girl . . . accomplished dancer . . . Billy Eckstine fan . . . has a yen for a certain auto mechanic at Spangler's . . . vocation undecided.

Mixed Chorus 12; Y-Teens 11, 12; Muhltobi; Class Treasurer 10, 11, 12.



CAROLYN ZELLER

Academic

Carolyn . . . shorter member of the class . . . blushes easily . . . cheerful disposition . . . enjoys history . . . attends Reading High activities . . . drives father's Chrysler . . . assistant driver of the "Bug" . . . likes to play the piano . . . dog lover . . . hopes to attend University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing.

Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Highway Patrol 10, 11; Student Council 11; Muhltobi; G.A.A. 11, 12; Swimming Club 10; Volleyball Honor Team 11.



J. RICHARD ZIEGLER

Academic

Rich . . . questionably quiet . . . enjoys girls, sports, and ice cream . . . mad chemist??? . . . pitcher for Mt. Penn during the summer . . . P.O.D. fan??? . . . enthusiastic camper . . . journeys in black '36 Chevy . . . works??? part-time in father's store . . . ardent movie fan . . . plans to attend college.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; Varsity Basketball 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 10; Junior Varsity Football 11; Baseball 10, 11, 12.



Ronald Clouser
Mary Lee Pearah
Lester Hinnershitz

Helen Schoener
Paul Weaver
Jean Hain

Paul Hetrich
Carol Bitner
Lee Williams

Barbara Wanner
Ronald Blatt
Barbara Kochel

Albert Camilli
Jacqueline High
Earl Loder

Hall of Fame

Most Likely to Succeed.....	HELEN SCHOENER.....	RONALD CLOUSER
Did Most for Class.....	HELEN SCHOENER.....	PAUL HETRICH
Most Congenial.....	BARBARA WANNER.....	PAUL HETRICH
Most Dignified.....	MARY LEE PEARAH.....	RONALD CLOUSER
Most Studious.....	HELEN SCHOENER.....	PAUL WEAVER
Most Versatile.....	JEAN HAIN.....	LEE WILLIAMS
Best Looking.....	BARBARA WANNER.....	RONALD BLATT
Best Dressed.....	JACQUELINE HIGH.....	RONALD BLATT
Class Vocalists.....	BARBARA WANNER.....	ALBERT CAMILLI
Class Instrumentalists.....	BARBARA KOCHER.....	EARL LODER
Class Athletes.....	CAROL BITNER.....	LEE WILLIAMS



David Adams
Lois Hughes
Kenneth Moyer

Joyce Koch
Robert Eyrich
Fay Heiter

Robert Labe
Marie Knoll
Barry Shipe

Mary Kramer
Donald Gessner
Judith Conrad

Earl Rothermel
Patricia Leighton
Harold Stotz

Hall of Fame

Class Homemaker and Handyman.....	JOYCE KOCH.....	DAVID ADAMS
Class Scientists.....	LOIS HUGHES.....	ROBERT EYRICH
Future Office Workers.....	FAY HEITER.....	KENNETH MOYER
Most Bashful.....	JOYCE KOCH.....	ROBERT LABE
Most Talkative.....	MARY KRAMER.....	EARL ROTHERMEL
Most Carefree.....	MARIE KNOLL.....	DONALD GESSNER
Class Flirts.....	FAY HEITER.....	BARRY SHIPE
Class Wits.....	JUDITH CONRAD.....	HAROLD STOTZ
Smallest and Largest Class Members.....	PATRICIA LEIGHTON.....	LESTER HINNERSHITZ

Class History

As we leave the first level in life's climb, we recall our six-year journey at Muhlenberg Township High School.

We entered seventh grade in 1946, 151 strong. Except for one whole section's getting lost, we soon became adjusted to the many bells, rooms, halls, teachers and no recesses. Jacquelin Martin and Lois Hughes were the winners of the treasure hunt at the Reading Museum. We were the first seventh graders to send delegates to our new Student Council. Helen Schoener and Ronald Clouser were chosen for the Empire Steel awards.

In eighth grade, many of us took part in the operetta, "Slip of the Slipper." We all gave vocational reports in guidance class — how our interests have changed! Mary Lee Pearah and Ronald Clouser were the recipients of the American Legion prizes.

Our freshman year brought five major class periods, civics notebooks, and Latin projects. Fifteen of us participated in Junior High County Chorus at Kutztown High School. The Senior Woman's Club awards were presented to Mary Lee Pearah and Ronald Clouser.

In tenth grade, we were officially organized as a class. Officers were Paul Hetrich, president; Harold Stotz, vice-president; Lolita Bunnell, secretary; and Janice Yoh, treasurer. Our class hats were proudly displayed in and out of school. Our first dance, "Soph Hop," was successfully staged April 15 amid colorful balloons and flowers. Naureen Landis was crowned queen of this event. Helen Schoener and Paul Hetrich received the Maiden Creek Hosiery prizes. A trip to Riverview Beach brought this year to an enjoyable close.

Now juniors, we presented the comedy, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," March 15 and 16. A parton list of more than 1100 for this play topped all previous records. We sported our brand new class sweaters of blue and white. Lee Williams was elected class vice-president; the other officers remained the same. In February we ate in our brand new cafeteria for the first time. Six juniors were inducted into National Honor Society. Mary Lee Pearah and Ronald Clouser received the Junior Woman's Club awards. An enjoyable June 12 was spent at the Reading Country Club dancing to the music of Hank Hoffman at our Junior-Senior Prom. Shirley Becker was proclaimed Junior Prom Queen.

Seniors at last, we changed the class ring design using a blue stone and larger numerals. We slaved away on our bigger, more complete yearbook. Our romantic class play, "Mother Is a Freshman," was presented November 29 and December 1. A delightful evening was spent dancing to the music of Saxy Shollenberger at the Junior-Senior Prom. Our commencement pageant, depicting that Berks County is best, marked the close of our six-year trek at Muhlenberg Township High School.

CLASS OFFICERS

<i>President</i>	PAUL HETRICH
<i>Vice-President</i>	LEE WILLIAMS
<i>Secretary</i>	LOLITA BUNNELL
<i>Treasurer</i>	JANICE YOH

Class Flower
White Rose

Class Colors
Blue and White

Class Motto
"Climb, though the rocks be rugged."



Muhltoshi

Miss THELMA L. KNAUSS, Adviser

EDITORIAL STAFF

Carol Bechtel
Carol Bitner
Jean Bulles
Lolita Bunnell

Gloria Burkhardt
Doris Clark
Jean Hain
Virginia Manwiller

Mary Lee Pearah
Patricia Schaeffer
Helen Schoener
Constance Shaver
Joan Snyder

SENIOR WRITE-UPS

Twelfth Grade English Classes—Mrs. Jean B. Curley

ORGANIZATIONS AND ATHLETICS

Marjorie Balthaser
Darwin Brendlinger
Judith Conrad
Barbara Kochel

Joan Rapp
Ronald Rapp
Shirley Schell
Winifred Schell

William Snyder
William Stifnagle
Constance Strickler
Ann Stump
Ronald Wennell

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Ruth Burkhardt
Gail Haggerty
Jacqueline High
Josephine Kline
Joyce Koch

Patricia Leighton
Harvey Seidel
Constance Strickler
Joan Thomas
Geraldine Tobias

Barbara Wadsworth
Maryetta Waldman
Janice Yoh
Carolyn Zeller

BUSINESS

Diane Brokenshire
Helen Drumheller

Shirley Kauffman

Robert Reeser
Paul Weaver

TYPING

Carol Bechtel
Shirley Becker
Gayle Brown
Gloria Burkhardt
Shirley Correll
Gail Haggerty

Fay Heiter
Erma Kleinsmith
Delores Kline
Shirley Kline
Mary Kramer
Patricia Leighton

Gloria Pehlman
Constance Shaver
Constance Strickler
Jean Sweitzer
Geraldine Tobias
Janice Yoh

ART

Carol Bitner

Jean Hain

Helen Schoener

Calendar 1951-1952

September 4 —First day of school
13 & 14—Reading Fair days for County students

October 2 —Y-Teen Initiation
12 —School closed for P. S. E. A. Convention
20 —Muhlenberg Horizon Club Hoedown
20 & 21 —Observer Quiz Show

November 3—Football Dance
14—Report cards
15—Open House
16—County Student Council Conference at Wyomissing
17—Student Council cake sale
20 & 26—Thanksgiving vacation
29—Senior Class Play, "Mother Is A Freshman"

December 1—Senior Play
6 & 7—U. N. Celebration
9 & 10—P. S. P. A. Convention for journalists
15—Holly Hop
20 & 21—Christmas assembly
20—Christmas vacation begins

January 3—Christmas vacation ends
15—Color Day
17—Mid-year Student Council election

February 4—Report cards
16—W. P. A. Dance
20—Fellowship assembly
20 - 27—Debating week
22—First Anniversary of Cafeteria
28 & 29—Gym exhibition

March 6 & 8—Junior Play, "Tattletale"
18—Y-Teen Fashion Show
19—Student Teacher Day
27—Honor Society induction ceremony

April 5—Soph Hop
7—Report cards
8 - 15—Easter vacation

May 9—Spring Concert
30—Memorial Day, school closed

June 1—Baccalaureate Service
5 & 6—Commencement
10—Junior-Senior Prom
13—School closes for the year

